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This article is an attempt—by means of a genealogy—to throw new light upon the background of William⁴ James, the psychologist and Henry⁴ James, the novelist.

William² James of Albany, N. Y., the immigrant ancestor, according to the epitaph on his monument in the Albany Rural Cemetery, was born in Ireland, Dec. 29, 1771; came to Albany in 1793 and died there Dec. 19, 1832.

At the time of his death, there appeared rather lengthy accounts of his life in various Albany and New York papers, extracts from some of which are as follows: "William James, an eminent Albany merchant, died Dec. 19, 1832, aged 62 years. He long occupied a conspicuous place among the merchants of this city and as a liberal and enlightened citizen. Prosperous almost beyond parallel, his career exemplified how strong and practical intellect, with unremitting perseverance will be accompanied by success. Of unaffected manner, generous, hospitable, public spirited, open ever to the claims of charity, prompt to participate in any enterprise of general utility or benevolence, Mr. James enjoyed, as he deserved, the sincere respect and esteem of his fellow citizens, and his loss was rightly considered a public calamity."—"Mr. William James expired about three o'clock this morning. Mr. James came to this city in 1793, dependent upon his industry for his means of subsistence. He was a clerk for several years to the late Mr. John Robison in the old blue store, which gave way for Thorp's splendid marble building." (1921 the site of the Albany Trust Company Building), etc., etc.

From advertisements which appeared in the Albany papers (particularly in the *Register*, edited by the Irish-born John and Robert Barber, whose kinswoman Mr. James married in 1803), the commercial career of William² James may be definitely followed. On May 25, 1795, David Horner and William² James announce that they have "opened a store in Mark Lane (Bloodgood's Slip) opposite the Glass Warehouse." An original lease for this building signed six weeks earlier may be seen in the New York Historical Society's Collections, New York City. On Dec. 8, 1797, William² James announces to merchants and farmers that, in addition to his former store, he has erected a new one, contiguous to the water, for the reception of country produce. On Nov. 12, 1798, he announces that he has erected a tobacco factory in addition to his other business. On June 3, 1800, William² James and Francis McCabe announce a partnership, their store to be in the building formerly occupied by Vernor and Henry opposite the old Dutch Church. On April 4, 1805, William² James of Albany and John Flack, merchant, of New York, announce a partnership, their Albany store being next to Henry and Seton's, on the dock. (Their New York store was located at various times at No. 61 John Street and No. 2 Dey Street, etc.). This partnership was still in existence Nov. 27, 1816. On April 1, 1818, William² James notified the public that he had withdrawn himself from the superintendence of his commercial concerns, having relinquished that part of his business to his son who would conduct it in future under the firm name of "Robert³ James and Co." James McBride of New

York was for much of the time the agent of William² James in New York. The McBride account books are in the possession of the New York Public Library (Mss. Division) and contain many references to the James family, recording small amounts advanced to the children while they were visiting New York, as well as William³ James', passage money from Dublin, 1823. John Flack and James McBride were partners in New York in 1804, under the firm name of John Flack and Co.; and George McBride of Dublin appears to have transacted much business abroad for the clients of his brother, James McBride. In 1816, two nephews of William² James of Albany—William James and John James by name—came to New York from Ireland; and, under their uncle's patronage, became established finally as merchants at No. 18 South Street, New York City. Some letters, written home by them to their parents, have come to light, and show how kindly an interest their uncle took in them. There is to-day a tradition in the family that William² James was affectionately known to them as the "Patroon." On April 4, 1827, William² James of Albany bought of Eliza Ludlow the land lying between Bethune and Troy (now West 12th) Streets from Greenwich Street to high water mark, New York City. On May 1, 1827, the City of New York granted to William² James the land which lay under water between the same streets, in exchange for which he promised to make streets and keep them free, to build wharves at Bethune and Troy Streets, and to make passage ways along West and Washington Streets. Thus it will be seen that more than a block of land lying along the water front in Greenwich Village, long held by his heirs, is "*made ground*," due to the enterprise of William² James. At the time of his death, the land holdings of William² James were enormous. Albany was an excellent market place for the investor in New York State lands, and a list of his real estate is filed in the inventory of his estate, which fills a fair sized ledger in the Surrogate's Office at Albany. The will of William² James was so involved that it was finally broken and the litigation relative thereto, dry to the layman, is constantly cited in similar cases of legal dispute before the courts.

Late in his life William² James was actively interested in the building of the Erie Canal, and in Munsell's *Collections on the History of Albany*, II, pp. 443-460, may be found set forth two speeches delivered by him on the occasion of celebrations held in Albany, Oct. 8, 1823, and Nov. 2, 1825, in connection with this State enterprise. He was the first Vice-President of the Albany Savings Bank, chartered in 1820, and was a Director of the New York State Bank of Albany, chartered about 1804. In company with Moses de Witt Burnet (husband of his wife's sister, Margaret Barber), William² James leased and operated the salt works at Syracuse. Burnet Park and James Street in Syracuse were named for these partners. James Street in Albany was named for William² James, as was also Jamesville, Onondaga Co., N. Y., a few miles from Syracuse, according to family tradition. On Nov. 2, 1814, William² James was appointed from New York State as a deputy commissioner of purchases for the United States Army, in connection with its operations during the War of 1812. He was honorably discharged from this service on June 15, 1815. (The War of 1812 came to an end in New York, Feb. 11, 1815, when the news of the signing of the Treaty of Ghent reached that City).

William² James appears to have had a good education, and was rather vain, it is said, of his beautiful handwriting. As shown in the family bible this writing is indeed beautiful according to copy-book standards. The inventory of the contents of his Albany house (1833) shows a list of standard works of literature, including Rees' *Cyclopedia*, in 47 volumes with this comment: "The preceding books except Rees' *Cyclopedia*, are old and much worn." Their one time owner did not however during his life concern himself vitally with the intellectual life of Albany, so far as existing records show.



CATHARINE (BARBER) JAMES

(1782-1859)

(From a portrait formerly in the possession of William⁴ James, by an unidentified painter)

William² James' home was in the building at the south-west corner of State and Green Streets (still standing in 1921) and later in North Pearl Street, in a house formerly belonging to Daniel Hale (torn down in 1860 after the death of Catharine Barber James to make way for the building in 1921 occupied by Waldmann Brothers). Two portraits* of William² James are in existence, both in the possession of his descendants. On Aug. 3, 1802, he was naturalized as a citizen of the United States in the City of Albany, and a parchment setting forth that fact is in the possession of his descendants. In the *Literary Remains of Henry James*, pp. 145-191, may be found a charming account of the James home. William² James was a staunch Presbyterian; he was a Trustee of the First Presbyterian Church of Albany in his later years. Two of his sons studied theology, and their subsequent freedom of thought was frowned upon by their father. There is a story extant that the father of William² James wished him to enter the ministry, and that he came to America to escape from an uncongenial career.

Family tradition says that William² James came to America at the age of eighteen (in 1789) with a little money, a Latin grammar (which still exists) and a great desire to visit one of the Revolutionary battlefields. All accounts seem to agree that he went to Albany in 1793, but no trace of his movements during the intervening four years has been found.

Although the young men of this family who came to America did not bring great riches with them, there is no suggestion that their Irish background was anything less than comfortable.

William² James of Albany, was the son of William¹ James (1736-1822) of Corkish (or, to-day "*Curkish*," a townland a mile to the east of Bailieborough, Co. Cavan, Ireland), by his wife Susan McCartney (1746-1824), both of whom lie buried in Bailieborough, together with other members of the immediate family.† William¹ James of Corkish had at least two other children, viz:—Robert,² the eldest (1765-1823) and Captain John,² the youngest (1785-1813) whose records are hereafter herein set forth. Robert⁴ James, Esq., J. P. (Henry,⁸ Robert,² William¹ of Corkish) is living (1922) at Bailieborough, and has furnished the details relative to the County Cavan members of the James family. The County Cavan tradition is that the earliest ancestor of this branch of the family came from Wales to Ireland about 1700. "Thomas Vaughan James, Gent." (who died Oct. 12, 1795, aged 39 years, at New York, wife Elizabeth), was an Albany merchant of somewhat earlier period than William² James, and was a partner of Moses Vail who intermarried with the Tillman family. Thomas James, who died Aug. 2, 1826, was a member of the firm of Robert³ James and Co., and lived in New York and Albany at different times; he is referred to by John James of New York as "Thomas" in his letters to Ireland.

What relation, if any, these two Thomas James of Albany bore to William² James is unknown to the writer. Vaughan Thomas and William James are names met with in the annals of the James family of Wales (see Burke's *Landed Gentry*).

* The portrait of William² James, a reproduction of which is used as a frontispiece for this family record, is now in the possession of George Higginson, Jr. (No. 97 of this genealogy) of Lenox, Mass. The portrait apparently is not signed by the artist, but has been variously attributed to Rembrandt Peale, Henry Inman, Thomas Sully and Samuel Waldo.

†Note by Henry⁵ James.

"When I said in my Introduction to the *Letters of William James* that his grandfather came from Bally-James-Duff, County Cavan, I stated the family tradition which was positive as to the County, less certain as to the spot. The evidence which you have obtained that his parents regarded Corkish, a few miles from Bally-James-Duff, as their home, is conclusive and convinces me that the report which I accepted was inexact, or at least incomplete."—HENRY JAMES.

FIRST GENERATION IN AMERICA.

1. WILLIAM² JAMES, b. Dec. 29, 1771; d. Dec. 19, 1832; m. (1) Aug. 19, 1796, New York City, Elizabeth Tillman, b. March 5, 1774 (perhaps at Albany); d. June 9, 1797. She was buried in the Presbyterian Burial Ground, State Street, Albany, which cemetery was abolished as such in 1866. The present whereabouts of her gravestone, which was in existence at the time of the abolishment of the Presbyterian Burial Ground, is not known to the writer. She was a daughter of Capt. John² Tillman, Jr. (b. —, 1749; d. July 1, 1822, aged 76 years, at Geneva, N. Y.; gravestone there), by his wife Mary Barbara Powers (b. —, 1752; d. Jan. 18, 1805). Capt. John² Tillman, mariner, was of New York City, Albany, Watervliet and Geneva, N. Y. He was a son of Major John¹ Tillman (b. "Mannheim, Germany," 1725; d. July 9, 1792, at Colonie, Albany Co., N. Y., 3 days after the death of his wife Margaret) who came to America by the ship *Forest* and took the Oath of Allegiance to Pennsylvania in 1752. Major Tillman enlisted in the New York County Militia, April 18, 1761, "aged 35, born in Germany, 5 ft. 8½ in., dark skin, brown eyes, black hair," and was active in the Revolution on the side of the Colonies in many ways, particularly where his knowledge of the German language could be used. Mary Barbara Powers was a daughter of John George Andreas Powers. Her brother, George Michael Powers of Brooklyn, N. Y., was a rich and philanthropic citizen for whose family Powers Street in that city was named. George Michael Powers was one of the first wardens of St. Ann's Church, and served on the American side in the Revolutionary War, some years before which time he was living in Brooklyn.

Children: by first marriage, 2 (James) sons:—

- +2. i. Robert,³ b. June 1, 1797; d. July 5, 1821; m. Gertrude Lush.
- +3. ii. William,³ b. June 1, 1797 (twin); d. Feb. 15, 1868; m. Marcia Lucretia Ames.

1. WILLIAM² JAMES, m. (2) Dec. 22, 1798 (by the Rev. Abraham Van Horne, according to the records of the Dutch Reformed Church of Caughnawaga (now Fonda), Montgomery County, N. Y.), Mary Ann Connolly, who d. Oct. 8, 1800, in her 22nd year, and was buried in the little Catholic Burial Ground on Mr. Schuyler's farm at Yost's on the Mohawk river, in the town of Mohawk, Montgomery Co., N. Y. She was the "eldest daughter of Mr. Bernard Connolly of Charlestown," Montgomery Co., N. Y. (b. April 7, 1750; d. April 10, 1822), by his wife Eleanore —? (b. Sept. 29, 1753; d. May 22, 1840) who lies buried beside him in the same Catholic Burial ground. Nearby in the same Burial Ground lies "Peter Conney, d. Jan. 23, 1826, aged 38 years; b. in Co. Armagh, Ballymyre, Town Ballintemple, Parish of Tory Gille, Ireland," who is said to have been a priest who lived in the Connolly's family. John and Andrew Slattery of Johnstown village nearby, both of whom d. in 1808, are also buried in this ground.

Bernard Connolly was a merchant; he had brothers and sisters named Michael, John, Patrick, Eleanor (Mrs. Michael Rawlins) and Catherine. Michael Connolly, a large investor in New York State bounty lands, was a partner of Gen. Ebenezer Stevens in New York City, and was quite possibly the Lieut. Michael Connolly who was paymaster of the New York forces in the Revolutionary War and who subsequently served in the militia. Michael Connolly died "unmarried and intestate," Sept. 10, 1799, on board ship bound from St. Augustine to New York; he left a considerable estate in St. Augustine, Savannah, Charleston and New York, upon which estate his brother Bernard Connolly took out administration papers, and which estate William² James undertook to settle.



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From a daguerreotype

Another Michael *Conelly*, of Dutchess Co., was a private in the Revolution. His will was proved in 1806 and mentions his wife Neana, daughter Margaret and sons William and Richard, and also mentions Martha Travin.

There is no apparent connection between the above mentioned Michael Connolly and Michael Conelly of New York both of whom served in the Revolutionary War.

Bernard Connolly owned a 611 acre farm, upon which the present graveyard at Yost's is located, and since his brother Michael Connolly, bought up land in this same region, confiscated from some Tory in 1784, it may be fairly presumed that Bernard settled in that vicinity about that time. The records covering the period are very incomplete. The youngest daughter of Bernard Connolly was Eleanor, who m. (Caughnawaga Dutch Church Records) Aug. 10, 1807, John D. Byrne, a merchant of Vernon, New York. Bernard Connolly had a third daughter, Catherine, wife of John McKiernan, merchant, of Montgomery Co., N. Y., who administered (at Schenectady, N. Y.) his "*uncle*" Patrick Connolly's estate and later that of his friend John Slattery of Johnstown. The farm at Yost's descended eventually to the eight children of John and Catherine McKiernan, viz: Mary Ann (wife of Joshua Young of Root), Rose Eleanor (wife of Cornelius C. Hubbard of Root), Catherine (wife of John Fagan), Eliza V., Charlotte, James, Bernard C. and Hugh McKiernan.

Child: by second marriage, 1 (James) daughter:—

+4. iii. Ellen³ (or Eleanor), b. April 23, 1800; d. April 19, 1823; m. James King.

1. WILLIAM² JAMES, m. (3) Dec. 16, 1803 (Goodwill Presbyterian Church Records, Montgomery, Orange Co., N. Y., the Rev. Andrew King being at that time its pastor), Catharine Barber, b. April 5, 1782, probably in Montgomery township near Neelytown; d. Aug. 18, 1859, at Lebanon Springs, N. Y.; buried in the Albany, N. Y. Rural Cemetery. She was a daughter of Judge John Barber and his wife Jennet Rea of Montgomery, N. Y., and a granddaughter of Judge Patrick Barber of the Court of Common Pleas of Ulster Co., N. Y., by his wife Jane Frazer (or Frasher), both of whom were of County Longford, Ireland and Montgomery, N. Y.

Judge John Barber was a captain in the New York Militia in the Revolutionary War; a long account of his services with his signature is on file in the Pension Bureau at Washington. He was an assemblyman from Ulster Co., N. Y., in 1798, and from the then newly formed Orange Co., in 1804. His will is recorded at Goshen, N. Y., and is somewhat rhetorical in its expression, as is also the epitaph inscribed on Judge Patrick Barber's tomb at Goodwill, the two probably having been written by the same hand. His elder brother Col. Francis Barber (Princeton A. B., 1767, A. M., 1770), an outstanding figure in the Revolutionary War, was killed at New Windsor, N. Y., by the falling of a tree, Feb. 11, 1783. Francis Barber prepared Alexander Hamilton for college at his school at Elizabeth, N. J.; he married two daughters of the Ogden family, leaving many descendants. He was said to have been of a particularly attractive personality. Judge Patrick Barber had a third son who served as an officer in the Revolution, Col. William Barber of the New Jersey line, who married Ann Crooke of Dutchess Co., N. Y., and who lies buried in the Crooke burying ground on the Newbold estate near Crum Elbow Point on the Hudson River. He left one daughter, Jane Ann Barber, who married Jacob Mancius of Albany. There is a tradition to the effect that the Barbers were related to the Clintons who also came from County Longford, Ireland, to Orange County, N. Y. However that may be, there are numerous evidences of friendly relations existing between the two families.

Judge John Barber's two cousins, John and Robert Barber, sons of Arthur Barber, were publishers in Albany, N. Y.,—John having been state printer at one time. Catharine (Barber) James is referred to in *A Small Boy*, pp. 4 *et seq.*, 177. Two portraits of her are still in existence; one located in Cambridge, Mass., and one in New York City, both in the homes of her descendants.

Children: by third marriage, 10 (James), 7 sons and 3 daughters, all probably b. in Albany, N. Y.:—

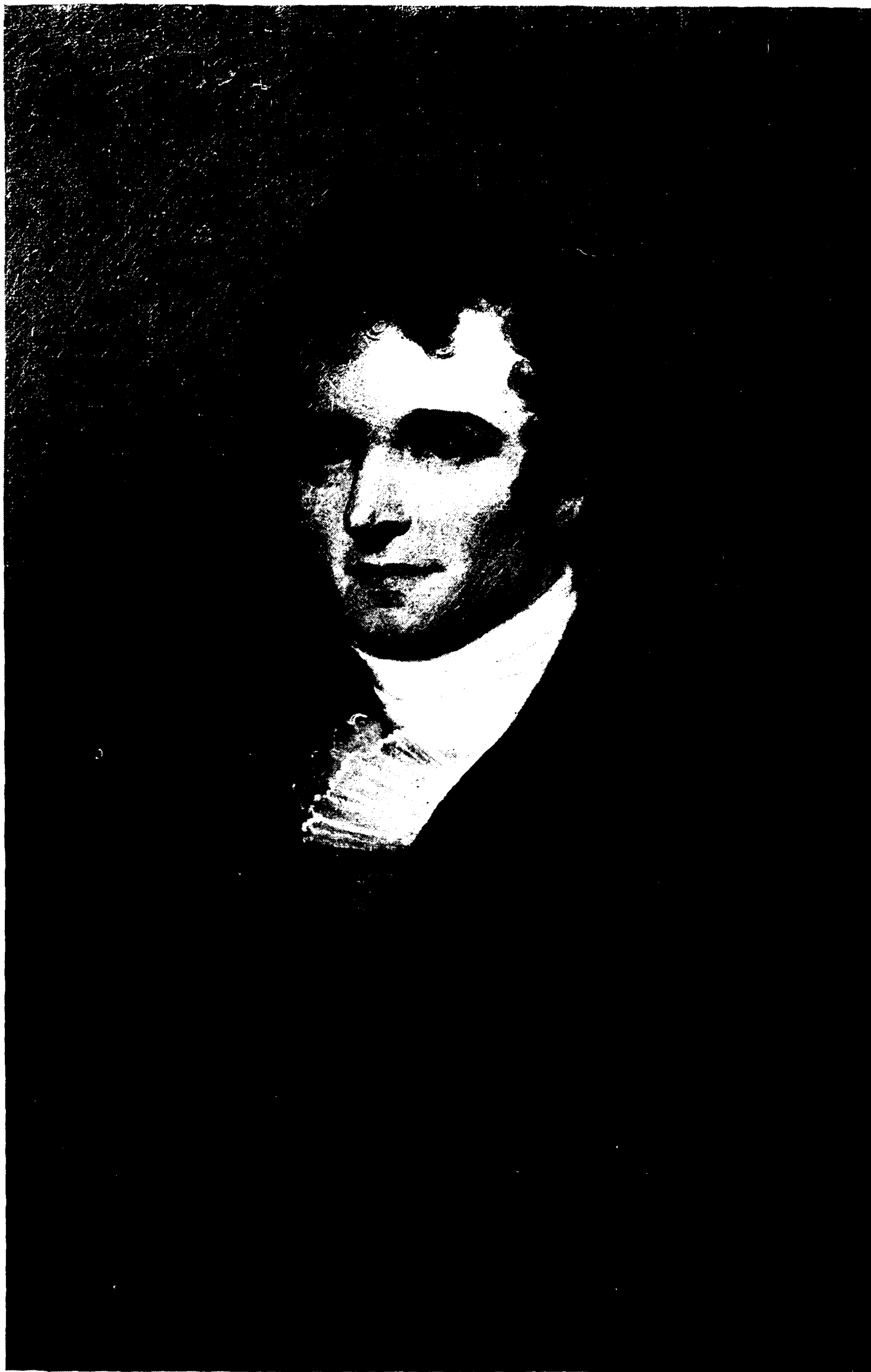
5. iv. John Barber,³ first, b. July 4, 1805; d. June —, 1806.
- +6. v. Augustus,³ b. June 29, 1807; d. Nov. 29, 1866; m. Elizabeth Bay.
7. vi. Henry,³ first, b. April 3, 1809; d. June —, 1809.
- +8. vii. Henry,³ second, b. June 3, 1811; d. Dec. 19, 1882; m. Mary Robertson Walsh.
- +9. viii. Jeannette,³ b. Feb. 18, 1814; d. May 8, 1842; m. William H. Barker.
- +10. ix. John Barber,³ second, b. March 15, 1816; d. May 22, 1856; m. Mary Helen Vanderburgh.
11. x. Edward,³ b. March 15, 1818; d. Dec. 20, 1856, probably at Albany, N. Y.; he did not marry. See *A Small Boy*, pp. 179-180.
- +12. xi. Catharine Margaret,³ b. Dec. 27, 1820; d. Oct. 15, 1854; m. Col. Robert Emmet Temple.
- +13. xii. Ellen King,³ b. Jan. 20, 1823; d. Oct. 30, 1849; m. Smith Thompson Van Buren.
- +14. xiii. Howard,³ b. Nov. 8, 1828; d. Aug. 9, 1887; m. (1) Frances Burr Pearson; m. (2) Josephine Worth.

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SECOND GENERATION IN AMERICA.

2. ROBERT³ JAMES (elder twin of Rev. William³ James), b. June 1, 1797, at Albany, N. Y.; d. July 5, 1821, at Geneva, N. Y. "while on a visit" (several of his Tillman kinsmen lived at Geneva and his grandfather, Captain John Tillman d. there July 1, 1822); he was m. June 16, 1818, at Albany, N. Y., by the Rev. William Bradford (see record of First Dutch Reformed Church, Albany), to Gertrude Lush, b. —, 1797, about; d. Dec. —, 1874, in Paris, France; she was buried July —, 1875, beside her son, Robert W.⁴ James, in Col. William Ellery Ross' lot in Albany Rural Cemetery. She was a daughter of Major Stephen Lush, private secretary to Gov. George Clinton. Major Stephen Lush was b. in New York City (Columbia College, 1770 and 1773); he was admitted to the bar in 1774 at the age of 21 years and was an officer in the Revolution, at the close of which war, he removed to Albany where he became an eminent lawyer. He was a member of the New York Assembly and of the New York Senate. In the Pension Bureau in Washington there is an important collection of letters, etc., submitted by his family in making an application for bounty lands, in recognition of his Revolutionary service, after his death in



ROBERT JAMES
1797-1821

From a portrait supposed to be by Francis Alexander, now in the possession of Heyward Cutting, Esq.

1825. His wife was Lydia Stringer, daughter of Dr. Samuel Stringer, surgeon in the British Army in 1758, who was with Abercrombie at Ticonderoga when Lord Howe fell. Dr. Stringer afterwards settled in Albany where he was considered that city's "most eminent 18th century physician." When the Revolution came, he was made Director General of Hospitals in the Northern Department. He accompanied the troops to Canada upon the Invasion and in 1777 returned to Albany for the remainder of his long and useful life. Dr. Stringer's grand-daughter Elizabeth Treat married Dr. John Bay (Columbia College, 1823) of Albany, brother of Elizabeth Bay (Mrs. Augustus³ James).

Robert³ James succeeded his father "in the superintendence of his commercial concerns" April 1, 1818, and the firm consisted thereafter of William² Thomas and Robert³ James, under the firm name of "Robert³ James and Co." for the rest of Robert³ James' short life. Thomas James, one of the partners above referred to and who d. Aug. 2, 1826, and who lived at the same address as William² James in 1823 and 1825, has not as yet been identified. The building in which William² James carried on his business, at the southwest corner of State and Green Streets, Albany, is standing now (1921) almost unchanged. Next to it on Green Street is the former home of Robert³ and Gertrude (Lush) James in almost its original state. A portrait of Robert³ James is in the possession of his descendants living in Paris, France.

Children: 3 (James), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

15. i. Elizabeth,⁴ b. April 6, 1819, at Albany, N. Y.; bap. Nov. 14, 1819 (see records of the First Dutch Reformed Church, Albany). Nothing further is known of her by the writer.
- +16. ii. Lydia Lush,⁴ b. Aug. 22, 1820; d. Jan. 5, 1897; m. Henry Mason.
17. iii. Robert W.,⁴ b. —, 1821, about, probably posthumously at Albany, N. Y.; d. Oct. 15, 1875, at Paris, France, aged 54 years; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery, with his mother, in the lot of Col. William E. Ross.

Robert W.⁴ James was a student at the Albany Academy in 1830, and lived most of his life in New York City, and with his mother at Rossville, Staten Island, New York Harbor. An interesting reference to him is to be found on page 42 of *A Small Boy and Others*.

Gertrude (Lush) James, m. (2) Oct. 4, 1827 (Records of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Albany), Col. William Ellery Ross of New York, b. —, 1793; d. Jan. 31, 1866, at New York City (Records of St. Paul's Church, New York); buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y. He was a son of William Ross of New York (whose widow Johannah Leslie survived him). Col. Ross was a New York merchant and an officer of the 14th Regiment of New York Artillery.

Child: 1 (Ross) son. *Not in James line*:—

1. William E., b. —, 1837, on Staten Island; d. May 11, 1868; m. —, 1859, Anna Campbell. She, after the death of her first husband, m. (2) Beekman de Peyster.

Children: no surviving issue.

After her marriage to Col. Ross, they went to live at Smoking Point, Staten Island, on Arthur Kill, where Col. Ross owned land and there they built a house and home which was known as Ross Castle. In its great hall, Col. Ross held services on Sundays, looking down from a balcony upon the small congregation gathered below. To such an extent were Col. and Mrs. Ross the benefactors of the village adjoining their estate that about 1836 the name of Rossville was given to the settlement, though not until some time in the 40's does this name appear upon the records of that town. Ross Cove and Ross Brook also perpetuated the family name. In 1859 Caleb Lyon,

afterwards Governor of Idaho, bought Ross Castle and gradually filled it with art treasures (amongst which were the Dongan portraits now exhibited by the New York Historical Society). After the death of Caleb Lyon, his daughter continued to live at Lyon Castle, as it came to be called, but in recent years the house fell into decay, and a year or so ago was completely demolished. The beautiful grounds of this estate and the far more elaborate ones belonging to the adjoining Mason estate are now almost a wilderness. Rossville was in former days a thriving village and a main landing place for the boats which plied between New York and Perth Amboy. The old Seguire house on Arthur Kill Road, next to St. Luke's Church, gives a slight suggestion of its former glories.

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8. REV. WILLIAM³ JAMES, D. D., b. June 1, 1797, at Albany (the younger twin brother of Robert³ James); d. Feb. 15, 1868, at Albany; graveyard record Albany Rural Cemetery; m. Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1824, by the Rev. Mr. Weed, at Albany, to Marcia Lucretia Ames, b. Aug. 2, 1797, about; d. March 2, 1886, Albany, aged 88. She was a daughter of Ezra Ames of Staatsburgh and Albany, N. Y., by his wife Zippora Wood of Uxbridge, Mass.

Ezra Ames was an artist, chiefly known as the painter of the portrait of Gov. George Clinton which was exhibited at the Pennsylvania Academy in 1812. Examples of his work may be seen at the New York Historical Society, New York City, and at the Albany Institute and Historical and Art Society. He painted portraits of many of the prominent men of his day who were temporarily settled at the capitol at Albany. Ezra Ames was also a Director and the President of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank. His son, Julius Rubens Ames was a miniature painter. A portrait of Ezra Ames may be seen in the *History of Albany and Schenectady Counties*, p. 738, or in Dunlap's *History of the Arts of Design*.

Rev. William³ James was tutored at home by the Rev. John McDonald, who was at one time pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Albany and who received his education in Scotland. At the age of 14, William³ James was sent to school at an Academy in Florida, N. Y., conducted by the Rev. Dr. Banks. In 1816 he was graduated from Princeton and entered the Princeton Theological Seminary the same year. Among his classmates there were James McDowell, Governor of Virginia, Charles P. McIlvaine, Bishop of Ohio, and William Buel Sprague, Pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of Albany, the well known author of *Annals of the American Pulpit*, who preached the funeral sermon of his old friend, Rev. William³ James.

Rev. William³ James is said to have possessed a great gift for public speaking. His letters upon theological subjects (published under the title *Grace for Grace*) and a memorial *The Marriage of the King's Son* show him to have been a graceful writer as well as an appealing personality. He was ordained by the Presbytery at Albany in 1820, and his health failing shortly afterwards, he went abroad for two years study in a Scottish University. Upon his return, he preached for a time at the Murray Street Church in New York City, whence he went to Clarkson, New York (near Rochester), which latter place is given as his residence in his marriage record. During the period 1825-31 he was pastor of the Second Church of Rochester; 1831-2 of the First Church of Schenectady and 1834-5 of the Third Presbyterian Church of Albany. After his father's death in 1832, he was chiefly occupied with philanthropies of various sorts and gradually withdrew from active ministerial life. His portrait may be seen in Dunning's *History of the Third Presbyterian Church of Albany*. He

received the degree of D. D. from Union College in 1854. His home in Albany from 1839 to 1854, was at No. 21 Montgomery Street and from the latter year till his death at No. 104 Hudson Avenue. Mrs. James, his widow, from 1870 to the end of her life lived at No. 88 Hudson Avenue, Albany, N. Y.

Portraits by Ezra Ames, of Rev. William³ James, of his wife Marcia Lucretia and of his daughter, Katharine Barber⁴ James, and also a portrait of Rev. William³ James by Francis Alexander are in the possession of his descendants in Albany.

Children: 4 (James), 1 son and 3 daughters:—

- +18. i. Anna McBride,⁴ b. Nov. 15, 1826; d. July 9, 1907; m. Isaac Edwards.
- 19. ii. (a son⁴), b. and d. Dec. 7, 1830, Albany, N. Y.
- +20. iii. Elizabeth Tillman,⁴ b. July 1, 1833; d. March 5, 1881; m. Julius Hawley Seelye.
- 21. iv. Katharine Barber⁴ (the "Kitty Prince" of William⁴ James' *Letters*), b. Dec. 6, 1834, at Albany, N. Y.; d. Nov. 19, 1890, at Somerville, Mass.; buried in Newton Cemetery, Newton, Mass.; m. —, 1861, about, at Albany, N. Y., to William Henry Prince, M. D. (Harvard, 1838-1841), as his second wife, he b. Dec. 15, 1817, Salem, Mass.; d. May 15, 1883, Watertown, Mass.; buried beside his wife in Newton Cemetery. He was a son of John Prince, Jr. (Harvard, 1800) by his wife Louise Lander of Salem, Mass., and a grandson of the Rev. John Prince of Salem (Harvard, 1776), a brilliant and versatile clergyman, who was the friend of Count Rumford and also the inventor of an improved air pump. Dr. William Henry Prince was a psychiatrist and practiced at Northampton, Mass., Clifton Springs, N. Y., Newton, Mass., etc., etc.

Children: None.

Dr. William Henry Prince m. (1) June 27, 1843, in Boston, Mass., in the Winter Street Church, by the Rev. William M. Rogers, to Elizabeth Lucretia Bullard Parker, b. —, 1820, at Boston; d. Oct. 10, 1859, Northampton, Mass. She was a daughter of Samuel and Lucretia (Bullard) Parker of Pepperell, Mass. Children: 2 (Prince), 1 son and 1 daughter. *Not in James line.*

- 1. Louise Lander, b. Nov. 13, 1848, Salem, Mass.; d. June 4, 1895, Boston, Mass.; m. Dec. 16, 1872, at Boston, Mass., by the Rev. Rufus Ellis to Dudley Farley Phelps (Harvard, 1867) of New York, by whom she had issue still surviving.
- 2. John, b. July 24, 1850, Salem, Mass.; d. July 21, 1911, Springfield, Mass.; m. Grace Apthorp of Northampton, Mass. No issue.

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Family, Church and Cemetery records;—Records of Princeton University;—Manuscript letter of Marcia Lucretia (Ames) James in the Collections of the New York Historical Society, N. Y. City;—Gavit Collection;—*Marriage of the King's Son*, p. 50;—Vital Records of Massachusetts, State House, Boston, Mass.

4. ELLEN³ JAMES (she was baptized *Eleanore*, June 1, 1800) (see Records of the First Presbyterian Church of Albany), b. April 23, 1800; d. April 19, 1823; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; m. June 17, 1818, by the Rev. Mr. Stansbury (see Records of First Presbyterian Church of Albany) to James King (Princeton, 1807 and 1810) as his first wife, b. July 11, 1788, Montgomery township, Orange Co., N. Y.; d. June 20, 1841, at his home in Ten Broeck Street, Arbor Hill, Albany; buried in the Goodwill Presbyterian Churchyard, Montgomery Township, Orange Co., N. Y. He was a son of Rev. Andrew

King (Princeton, 1773 and 1786) by his first wife Jane Trimble. Rev. Andrew King was the pastor of the Goodwill Church, in the churchyard of which lie buried Judge John Barber, Judge Patrick Barber and Col. Francis Barber, father, grandfather and uncle, respectively of Catharine (Barber) James; and where also lies buried Elizabeth Allison Walsh, grandmother of James Walsh (see record No. 8 of this genealogy). Rev. Andrew King was b. in Ireland, 1748, and came with his father's family in 1758 to Iredell Co., N. C., where he lived until he was grown. He was made pastor of the Goodwill Church in 1777, and served as such until his death Nov. 16, 1815. He was also a regent at the New York University. Jane Trimble, his wife, was of Irish parentage.

James King was a prominent lawyer in Albany; he was a regent of the University of New York at Albany and was made its Chancellor, Feb. 12, 1839.

A portrait of Ellen³ (James) King, by Ezra Ames, is in the possession of New York descendants. A reproduction of this portrait of Ellen³ (James) King is herein used to illustrate her record.

Child: 1 (King) daughter:—

+22. i. Mary Ann,⁴ b. Dec. 7, 1819; d. March 12, 1892; m. Minturn Post.

James King, after the death of his first wife, Ellen³ James, m. (2) Nov. 6, 1828 (Records of St. Peter's P. E. Church, Albany), Harriet Clark Kane, b. —, 1805, about; d. March 14, 1854, aged 49 years, at the home of her mother at Woodlawn, N. Y.; she was buried in the Goodwill Churchyard, Montgomery Township, Orange Co., N. Y. She was the eldest daughter of Oliver de Lancey Kane by his wife Ann Eliza Clark of Albany, and a grand-daughter of John Kane (who was b. in County Antrim, Ireland) by his wife Sybil Kent.

Children: 4 (King), 2 sons and 2 daughters. *Not in James line.*

1. Ellen, b. Oct. 18, 1829; d. July 6, 1890; m. Nov. 9, 1858 (Records of the First Presbyterian Church, Albany) to Thomas Jennings Hand of Baltimore, by whom she had surviving issue.
2. Harriet Sybil, b. Jan. 26, 1831; d. July 31, 1891; buried Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, Tarrytown, N. Y. She did not marry.
3. Rev. James Snowden (Princeton, 1858), b. Aug. 20, 1834; d. Sept. 15, 1864, near Sing Sing, N. Y.; m. Cornelia Remsen, daughter of Henry R. Remsen, by whom he had surviving issue.
4. Oliver de Lancey Kane, b. July 16, 1836; who was living in 1860.

AUTHORITIES:

Family, Church and Cemetery records;—Records of Princeton University;—Dickson's *Goodwill Memorial*, p. 41;—Gavit's *Collection of Vital Records from Albany newspapers*;—Spooner's *Historic Families of America*, Vol. I, p. 198.

6. AUGUSTUS³ JAMES, b. June 29, 1807, Albany, N. Y.; d. Nov. 29, 1866, New York City; buried Albany Rural Cemetery in the lot of his father-in-law, Dr. William Bay; m. Oct. 16, 1827 (Records of the First Reformed Dutch Church, Albany), to Elizabeth Bay, b. March 17, 1808; bapt. May 1, 1808 (Records of Claverack, N. Y. Dutch Reformed Church); d. March 1, 1855, Albany, N. Y.; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery in her father's lot. She was a daughter of Dr. William Bay of Albany, N. Y., by his wife Catherine Van Ness. Her father, Dr. William Bay (Columbia, 1797) was a son of John Bay (Princeton, 1765), the Claverack, N. Y., lawyer; he was also a great nephew of the Rev. Andrew Bay (born in Ireland of Huguenot ancestry). The Rev. Andrew Bay was at one time pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Albany and his son, Elihu Hall Bay was Chief Justice of South Carolina. Elizabeth Bay (the wife of Augustus³ James) had an uncle, Thomas Bay (Columbia, 1798) who was Mayor of Hudson, N. Y.; she also had a brother, Dr. John W. Bay (Columbia, 1823) of New York City and Albany, N. Y., who married Elizabeth Treat, a cousin of Gertrude (Lush) James (see record No. 2, of this genealogy).



REV. WILLIAM JAMES
1797-1868

From a portrait said to be by Alexander, in the possession of descendants in Albany

Catherine Van Ness (the wife of Dr. William Bay), had a brother, Judge William W. Van Ness, who studied law with John Bay at Claverack, married John Bay's daughter and later practiced his profession at Hudson, N. Y., and later became a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York. She (Catherine Van Ness) had a cousin, John P. Van Ness (Columbia, 1789 and 1845) who became Mayor of Washington, D. C.; she also had a cousin, Governor Cornelius Van Ness of Vermont, who at one time was United States Minister to Spain (1829-37); and a cousin Judge William Peter Van Ness of New York (Columbia, 1797) who was Aaron Burr's second at his historic duel with Alexander Hamilton. A portrait of Judge William W. Van Ness, painted by Jarvis, may be seen in the galleries of the New York Historical Society. The house built in Claverack, N. Y., in 1790, by John Bay, Esq., was standing in 1910, as was also the mansion built by Judge William W. Van Ness for his daughter, Mrs. Henry Livingston.

Children: 4 (James), 1 son and 3 daughters:—

- +23. i. Catherine Elizabeth,⁴ b. Aug. 1, 1828; d. April 4, 1858; m. Robert Emmet, Jr.
- +24. ii. William Augustus,⁴ b. Dec. 29, 1831; d. July 17, 1876; m. Julia Livingston Lowndes.
- +25. iii. Gertrude,⁴ b. Nov. 22, 1834 (?); d. March 24, 1889; m. (1) James Muirson Pendleton; m. (2) McKendree Wise Jones.
- +26. iv. Marie Bay,⁴ b. Nov. 29, 1841; d. Sept. 29, 1904; m. Col. Charles Robert Coster.

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Family, Church and Cemetery records;—Probate records of New York County;—*Medical Annals of Albany*, p. 213;—*History of Columbia County, N. Y.*, by Ellis, pp. 90, 98, 115;—*Hudson and Mohawk Valley Genealogies*, II, p. 798;—*Webster's History of the Presbyterian Church in America*, p. 573;—*Appleton's Cyclopaedia of American Biography*, for Van Ness data;—*The Parsonage between Two Manors*, pp. 116, 298;—For interesting references to the family of Augustus³ James and to their country seat "Linwood"* (on the Hudson River at Rhinebeck), see *A Small Boy and Others*, pp. 53, 176, 181, 184, 377.

8. HENRY⁸ JAMES, b. June 3, 1811, at Albany; d. Dec. 19, 1882, at Cambridge, Mass. and was buried there; m. July 28, 1840 (*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser*, July 29, 1840), by Mayor Isaac Leggett Varian of New York City, (the ceremony, according to family tradition, being performed at the home of the bride's mother, No. 19 Washington Square), to Mary Robertson Walsh, b. Aug. 4, 1810; d. Jan. 29, 1882, at Cambridge, Mass., and was buried there. She

*"Linwood," Rhinebeck, said to be the most beautiful site on the Hudson, has been owned since 1883 by Jacob Ruppert. It is referred to in *A Small Boy and Others*, Chapter XIII. In 1686 Capt. Arie Roosa bought the land from the Indians and in 1710 sold it to Laurens Osterhout who married Rebekka Roosa. In 1741 it was sold to Jacobus Van Etten (160 acres for £370) who willed it in 1758 to his sons Isaac and Matthew. In 1786, Isaac Van Etten mortgaged it to the Loan Officers of New York, who in 1793 sold it to Dr. Thomas Tillotson, whose wife was Margaret Livingston whose brothers and sisters were Janet Livingston, the wife of General Richard Montgomery; Chancellor Robert R. Livingston; Col. Henry B. Livingston; Catherine Livingston, the wife of Rev. Freeborn Garretson one of the pioneers of Methodism in America; John R. Livingston; Gertrude Livingston, the wife of Governor Morgan Lewis, Joanna Livingston, the wife of Peter R. Livingston; and Alida Livingston, the wife of Gen. John Armstrong.

Dr. Thomas Tillotson erected a mansion on this property in which he lived until his death in 1832; in which house General Washington was his guest in 1796. In 1835 John C. Tillotson sold "Linwood" to Dr. Federal B. Vanderburgh of New York, who six months later, sold part of it to his son-in-law John B. James. In 1849 and 1853 John B. James sold part of "Linwood" to his brother Augustus James, who in 1865 sold it all to Alfred Wild of Albany for \$60,000. The new owner began the demolition of the old house, but his spectacular business failure checked the ambitious plans for a country place. The place was mortgaged and fell into decay until sold in 1883 to Jacob Ruppert.

was a daughter of James and Elizabeth (Robertson) Walsh of New York City (See *Hugh Walsh's Family*, by Rev. William Walsh of Newburgh, N. Y., p. 8).

Henry⁵ James, in the Introduction to the *Letters* of his father, William⁴ James (1920), says of his grandfather, Henry³ James (1811-1882): "He was apparently a boy of unusual activity and animal spirits, but at the age of thirteen he met with an accident which maimed him for life." While a student at the Albany Academy, that ancient school which continues to flourish close by the capitol building, his leg was badly burned. "The boy was confined to his bed for the next two years and one leg was twice amputated above the knee" * * * "but thereafter he could live conveniently only in towns where smooth foot ways and ample facilities for transportation were to be had. In 1830 he graduated from Union College, Schenectady and in 1835 entered the Princeton Theological Seminary with the class of '39. By the time he had completed two years of his Seminary course, his discontent with the orthodox dispensation was no longer to be doubted. He left Princeton and the truth seems to be that he had already conceived some measure of the antipathy to all ecclesiasticisms which he expressed with abounding scorn and irony throughout all his later years.

In 1840 he married Mary Walsh, the sister of a fellow student at Princeton who had shared his religious doubts and had with him, turned his back on the ministry and left the Seminary. She was the daughter of James and Mary (Robertson) Walsh of New York City and was thus descended from Hugh Walsh, an Irishman of English extraction who came from Killingsley, County Down in 1764 and settled himself finally near Newburgh; and from Alexander Robertson, a Scotchman who came to America not long before the Revolution and whose name is borne by the school of the Scotch Presbyterian Church in New York City." * * * "During the three or four years that followed his marriage Henry³ James, Senior, appears to have spent his time in Albany and New York. In the latter city, in the old, or then new, Astor House, his eldest son was born on the eleventh of January, 1842. He named the boy William, and a few days later brought his friend R. W. Emerson to admire and give his blessing to the little philosopher to be. Shortly afterwards the family moved to a house at No. 2 Washington Place, and there, on April 15, 1843, the second son, Henry, came into the world." * * * "His books, written in a style which 'to its great dignity of cadence and full and homely vocabulary, united a sort of inward palpitating human quality, gracious and tender, precise, fierce, scornful, humorous by turns, recalling the rich vascular temperament of the old English masters rather than that of the American of to-day' (see *Literary Remains of Henry James*, p. 9), reveal him richly to anyone who has a taste for theological reading. His philosophy is summarized in the introduction to *The Literary Remains* and his own personality and the very atmosphere of his household are reproduced in *A Small Boy and Others* and *Notes of a Son and Brother*." * * * "The erroneous statement that has become current, and that describes Henry³ James, Senior, as a Swedenborgian minister, is a rich absurdity to anyone who knew him or his writings" * * * "Henry³ James, Senior, lived entirely with his books, his pen, his family, and his friends." * * * "He was so sociable and so independent and lively a talker that he entered into hearty relations with interesting people wherever he went. Thackeray was a familiar visitor at his apartment in Paris when his older children were just old enough to remember, and his recollections of Carlyle and Emerson will reward any reader whose appetite does not carry him as far as the theological disquisitions," * * * "Finally, with respect to the constancy of Henry³ James, Senior's, presence in the lives of his children, it should be made clear that he never had any 'business' or profession to inter-



AUGUSTUS JAMES
1807-1866
From a daguerreotype

fere with his 'almost eccentrically home-loving habit.' During the years of moving about Europe, during the quiet years in Newport, the family was thrown upon its inner social resources. The children were constantly with their parents and with each other, and they continued all their lives to be united by much stronger attachments than usually exist between members of one family."

Henry³ James paid a visit to his Irish relatives in the early eighteen thirties, which episode is touched upon in *Notes of a Son and Brother*, pp. 265, *et seq.* The story of that visit is a tradition to-day in the family circle in County Cavan. Further sources of biographical information relative to Henry³ James, Senior, are *Early Years of the Saturday Club*, p. 328, and *The Literary Remains of Henry³ James*, edited by his son William⁴ James.

Among Henry³ James, Senior's other published writings are *The Secret of Swedenborg* ("and he kept it!" William Dean Howells complained), certain delightful letters included in *Notes of a Son and Brother*, *Moralism and Christianity*, *Society the Redeemed Form of Man—affirmed in Letters to a Friend* and *Love, Marriage and Divorce and the Sovereignty of the Individual*. (A Discussion between Henry³ James, Horace Greeley and Stephen P. Andrews and a subsequent discussion twenty years later between Mr. James and Mr. Andrews) (1889).

Two portraits of Henry³ James, Senior, by Frank Duveneck are in existence.

Children: 5 (James), 4 sons and 1 daughter:—

+27. i. William,⁴ b. Jan. 11, 1842; d. Aug. 26, 1910; m. Alice Howe Gibbens.

28. ii. Henry,⁴ b. April 15, 1843, at No. 2 Washington Place, N. Y. City; d. Feb. 28, 1916, at Chelsea, London, Eng.; he was not married. The career of Henry⁴ James as a novelist is so well known that any biographical mention here seems unnecessary. The reader is referred to his own autobiographical works *A Small Boy and Others*, *Notes of a Son and Brother*, and *The Middle Years*; to his published *Letters* and to *The Letters of William James* (1920). Henry⁴ James' two lists of his own most characteristic novels given Sept. 14, 1913 (see his *Letters*) are made up of the following titles: *Roderick Hudson*, *The Portrait of a Lady*, *The Princess Casamassima*, *The Wings of the Dove*, *The Golden Bowl*, *The American*, *The Tragic Muse* and *The Ambassadors*. Among his plays we may mention *Guy Domville* and *The High Bid*.

A portrait and two sketches of Henry⁴ James, by Sargent, are in existence, as is also a bust of him by Derwent Wood. His portrait by William⁵ James (No. 89) is in Mrs. John L. Gardner's collection, Boston, and another portrait, by Jacques Blanche, hangs in the National Portrait Gallery in London.

+29. iii. Garth Wilkinson,⁴ b. July 21, 1845; d. Nov. 15, 1883; m. Caroline Eames Cary.

+30. iv. Robertson,⁴ b. Aug. 29, 1846; d. July 3, 1910; m. Mary Holton.

31. v. Alice,⁴ b. Aug. 7, 1848, New York City, N. Y.; d. March 6, 1892, at Kensington, London, Eng.; not married. For a suggestion as to her personality and character, see Henry⁴ James' letter to William⁴ James of May 28, 1894, also various passages in the *Letters of William James*. A portion of her diary is quoted in the latter named work, Vol. I, p. 259.

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Family records and sources here above referred to.

9. JEANNETTE³ JAMES, b. Feb. 18, 1814; d. May 8, 1842, at Albany, N. Y., after the birth of her son Augustus⁴ James; m. Nov. 14, 1832 (see Records of

the First Presbyterian Church of Albany) to William H. Barker, b. Aug. 21, 1809, at New York City; d. Sept. 17, 1879, at West Farms (now a part of New York City), N. Y. He was a son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Hazard) Barker of New York City.

Jacob Barker was a great New York financier; he was of Nantucket Quaker ancestry, and was distantly connected with Benjamin Franklin through two lines of Folger ancestry; his wife (Elizabeth (Hazard) Barker) lies buried in the Friend's Burying Ground in Brooklyn. Elizabeth Hazard's sister Sarah Hazard married John H. Howland, a New York merchant; and her sister Anna Hazard married Philip Hone, at one time Mayor of New York City. William H. Barker's sister Anna H. Barker married Samuel Gray Ward of Boston, Mass. There are interesting references to this family in *A Small Boy and Others*, pp. 172, 187, 188; *Journal of Sarah Howland*, compiled by Howland Pell; and *Diary of Philip Hone*. A copy of Inman's portrait of Jacob Barker may be seen in the New York Chamber of Commerce.

Children: 4 (Barker), 3 sons and 1 daughter:—

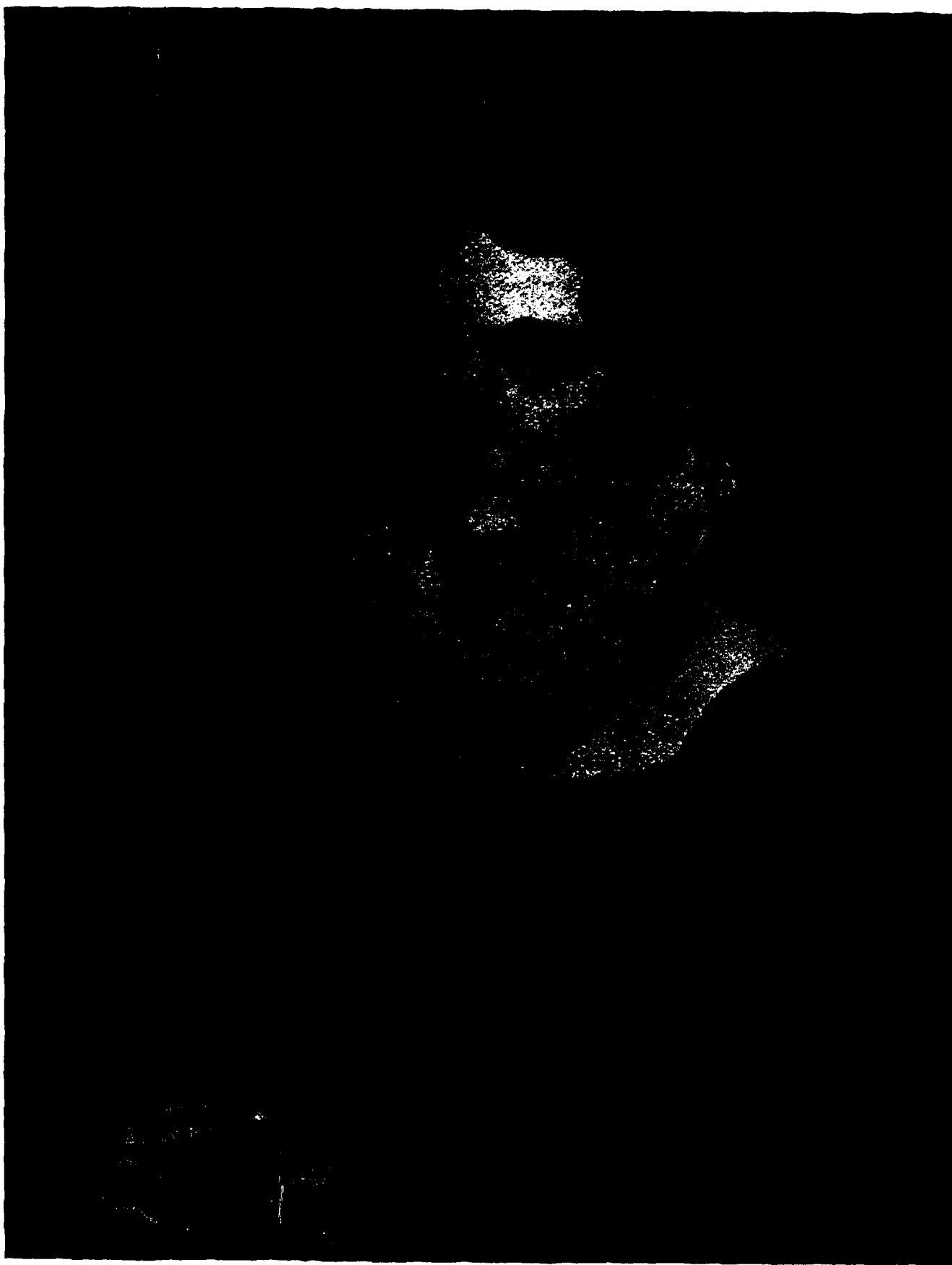
32. i. William James,⁴ b. —, 1834; d. March 25, 1839.
- +33. ii. Elizabeth Hazard,⁴ b. May 23, 1836; d. Jan. 6, 1901; m. George Higginson.
34. iii. Robert,⁴ b. —, 1837; d. Feb. 8, 1868; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery; not married. (See *A Small Boy and Others*, p. 188).
35. iv. Augustus,⁴ b. April 24, 1842, at Albany, N. Y.; d. Sept. 18, 1863, near Kelly's Ford, Mount Holly Church, on the Rappahannock River, Virginia. Captain Augustus⁴ Barker enlisted in the New York Cavalry in 1861 from Harvard College; he was stricken with typhoid fever and taken to the Marshall House at Alexandria, Va. His father took him to Washington and thence to Lenox, Mass., to recuperate. He soon rejoined his regiment and was thereafter captured together with General Stoughton by Moseby, and taken to Libby prison. While out on parole the two officers paid a visit to General Fitzhugh Lee. Augustus⁴ Barker was subsequently shot by guerillas and died at the home of Mr. Freeman Harris. See *A Small Boy and Others*, pp. 15, 172; *Son and Brother*, p. 95; *Harvard Memorial Biographies*, II, p. 375; *Heroes of Albany*, p. 414.

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Family, church and cemetery records;—*Portrait Gallery of New York Chamber of Commerce*, p. 232.

10. JOHN BARBER³ JAMES, b. March 15, 1816, at Albany, N. Y.; d. May 22, 1856, at Chicago, Ill.; Union College, 1834; m. Oct. 8, 1834, to Mary Helen Vanderburgh, b. Nov. 6, 1816 (perhaps at Geneva, N. Y., where her father practiced his profession 1812-30); d. Feb. 15, 1846; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery. The address by the Rev. Henry P. Tappan, D. D., delivered upon the occasion of her funeral, Feb. 19, 1846, was published in pamphlet form. Her funeral services were held at her home No. 704 Broadway, New York City. She was a daughter of Federal Beekman Vanderburgh, M. D., and his wife Esther Orinda Boardman of New Milford, Conn., Geneva, N. Y., New York City and Rhinebeck, N. Y. Her grandfather, Col. James Vanderburgh, was a member of the Provincial Congress, and an officer in the Revolutionary War, who several times entertained General Washington at his home in Beekman, N. Y.

Dr. Vanderburgh was a pioneer in homeopathy and had a large and fashionable practice in New York City. He was very attractive personally and much beloved. He bought *Linwood* from the Tillotson family, soon selling part of it to his son-in-law, John Barber³ James. He built a house on adjoining



ELLEN (JAMES) KING
1800-1832

(From a portrait by Ezra Ames in the possession of Mrs. Harry H. Benkard)

land which, in 1881, was known as the Dyar Mansion, and, in 1921, was the property of Tracy Dows, Esq. His daughter, Charlotte, became Mrs. Robert McKim of Baltimore. See *A Small Boy and Others*, pp. 53, 94, 179, 180, 193. Children: 2 (James), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

36. i. John Vanderburgh,⁴ b. July 26, 1835, Rhinebeck, N. Y.; bapt. Aug. 12, 1838 (Record of Reformed Dutch Church of Rhinebeck Flats); d. July 27, 1858, at New York City; he did not marry. (see *A Small Boy and Others*, pp. 189, 191-3, 241).
37. ii. Mary Helen,⁴ b. July 24, 1840; d. Nov. 28, 1881; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery; funeral services at St. Ann's Catholic Church, No. 112 E. 12th Street, N. Y. City; m. —, 1868, at New York City, to Charles Alfred Grymes, M. D. (as his second wife), b. May 24, 1829, at New Orleans, La.; d. Sept. 22, 1905, New York City; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery; funeral services held at St. Francis Xavier's Catholic Church, New York City. He was a son of Judge John Randolph Grymes by his wife the widow Suzette (Bosch) Claiborne of New Orleans.
Children: (Grymes) none.

Judge John Randolph Grymes figures largely in the early American history of Louisiana. He was the son of Benjamin and Judith (Robinson) Grymes, and a grandson of Philip and Mary (Randolph) Grymes—who was a daughter of Sir John Randolph of Virginia. Judge Grymes went, in 1804, to Louisiana; he was a volunteer aide to General Andrew Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans, and was a celebrated lawyer. He fought two duels, it is said, being severely wounded in one of them. He was the Attorney General of Louisiana, United States District Attorney in Louisiana and several times served in the Louisiana State Legislature. He was counsel to Governor William Charles Coale Claiborne, the first American Governor of Louisiana, who died in 1817 leaving a widow of but 18 years and two children by her. These children were named Charles William Claiborne and Sophronie Louise Claiborne. Sophronie Louise Claiborne married Jean Bernard Xavier Mandeville de Marigny, who was a son of Bernard, Marquis de Marigny of France and New Orleans, by his second wife, Anna Morales, who was a daughter of Governor Morales, the last Spanish Governor of Louisiana. The 18 year old widow was born Suzette Bosch; she was a daughter of Bartolomo Bosch, a New Orleans cotton merchant, whose father and several other kinsmen were navy officers. Bartolomo Bosch went to New Orleans when a young man and there after his arrival married a New Orleans lady. Mrs. Suzette (Bosch) Claiborne, soon after the death of Governor Claiborne, became the wife of Judge John Randolph Grymes, by whom she had a daughter, Medora Grymes, who married Samuel Ward of New York City as his second wife; Edgar Grymes, who married Anne Darlington of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Dr. Charles Alfred Grymes of New York (who as above recorded married Mary Helen⁴ James, No. 37 of this record); and Athenaise, who married Louis A. Von Hoffman, German Consul General in New York City; and whose daughter, Medora Maria Von Hoffman, married Antonie Amédée Vincent, Marquis of Mores, by whom she had two sons Counts Luigi and Paul de Vallembrasa, and also a daughter.

Suzette (Bosch) Claiborne-Grymes, on account of the trying climate of New Orleans, when her children were very young came to Staten Island, New York Harbor, and there bought and devel-

oped the country seat on what has since been known as Grymes' Hill. Prince Louis Napoleon once visited there for a week. Upon the suggestion of her guest, Prince de Muciano, she named her estate on Grymes Hill "Capo di Monte." She died in 1885 in Paris, France. A small volume could well be written upon the legends which have crept into print concerning this interesting household and its connections.

Dr. Charles Alfred Grymes, m. (1) —, 1858, Mary Emma Stebbins, b. Jan. 1, 1837; d. April 18, 1865. She was a daughter of Henry George and Sarah Augusta (Weston) Stebbins of New York City.

Children: 2 (Grymes), 1 son and 1 daughter, *not in James line*:—

1. John Randolph, b. Sept. 22, 1859, at New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.; living in 1921, at New Brighton; m. June 25, 1890, to Sophronie Claiborne Thomas, great-grand-daughter of Governor Claiborne by his third wife (Suzette Bosch); she was living in 1921 and had surviving issue.
2. Mabel, b. July 4, 1862; d. March —, 1883, at Washington, D. C.; m. —, 1882, at Baltimore, Md., to Surgeon Lucien Guy Heneberger, U. S. Navy, by whom she had surviving issue.

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12. CATHARINE MARGARET⁸ JAMES, b. Dec. 27, 1820, at Albany, N. Y.; d. Oct. 15, 1854; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; m. June 12, 1839 (First Presbyterian Church Records, Albany) to Col. Robert Emmet Temple, U. S. Army, b. Sept. 24, 1808, at Castleton, Vt.; d. July 20, 1854, at Albany; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery. He was a son of Robert Temple by his first wife Clarina Hawkins, only daughter and child of Joseph Hawkins of Castleton, Vt. Robert Temple was a nephew of Sir John Temple of New York, 8th Baronet, and a descendant of Sir Thomas Temple of Stowe. Robert Temple lived at Rutland, Vt.

Col. Robert Emmet Temple was of the Class of 1828 of the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y., and served in the U. S. Army until 1839, when he resigned to enter civil life. He was a lawyer in Albany, 1839-1847 and was Adjutant General of the State of New York, 1846-7. He was re-appointed a Colonel in the U. S. Army in 1847 serving in the Mexican War and was honorably discharged 1848; he practiced his profession in Albany, N. Y., until his death.

Robert Temple, by his first wife, Clarina Hawkins, had five children, viz:—(1) Clara, who m. Henry Chapman; (2) Mary, who m. Edmund Tweedy; (3) Charlotte, who m. 1st Robert Sweeny; m. 2nd (as his 2nd wife) Sir John Rose of Montreal; and (4) Nelson and (5) Robert Temple. Robert Temple m. (2) Charlotte, daughter of Isaac Green, M. D., by whom he had five children of whom one was Admiral William Grenville Temple.

Children: 9 (Temple), 3 sons and 6 daughters:—

38. i. Robert,⁴ b. Nov. 12, 1840; bapt. St. Peter's, Albany, Dec. 20, 1847; living 1882, at Cross Hollows, Wasco Co., Oregon. He m. and had issue. Nothing further is known of him by the writer. (*Notes of a Son and Brother*, p. 142, *et seq.*).
39. ii. William James,⁴ b. March 29, 1842; bapt. St. Peter's, Albany, Dec. 20, 1847; d. May 1, 1863, at Chancellorsville in battle. He entered Yale College, and then Harvard College and enlisted in

the Regular Army in 1861. He was "the most interesting, much, of the Albany male cousins". (see *Notes of a Son and Brother*, p. 118;—*Heroes of Albany*, p. 410;—*Harvard Memorial Biographies*, II, p. 350).

40. iii. Katharine,⁴ b. Aug. 25, 1843; d. Sept. 25, 1895; m. Richard Stockton Emmet.
41. iv. Clara,⁴ b. Nov. 9, 1844, (see age at death and date of death), Albany, N. Y.; d. April 16, 1845, at Albany, aged 5 mos., 7 days; buried Albany Rural Cemetery.
42. v. Mary⁴ ("Minnie Temple"), b. Dec. 7, 1845; bapt. St. Peter's Church, Albany, Dec. 20, 1847; d. March 8, 1870, at New Rochelle, N. Y.; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; she did not marry. "Minnie Temple" was the original of *Isabel Archer* in *The Portrait of a Lady*, and of *Minnie Theale* in the *Wings of the Dove*, two of Henry⁴ James' best known characters. The last chapter of *Notes of a Son and Brother* consists largely of letters written by Mary⁴ Temple at the close of her short life and on page 76 of this same volume is given a glowing tribute to her magnetic personality; frequent references to her are to be found also in *Letters of William James*.
43. vi. Charlotte,⁴ b. Oct. 9, 1847; d. July 1, 1848; buried Albany Rural Cemetery.
44. vii. Grenville,⁴ bapt. Sept. 2, 1850 (St. Peter's Church, Albany, N. Y.); d. Sept. 3, 1850, aged 1 year, 2 mos., 20 days; buried Albany Rural Cemetery.
- 45. viii. Ellen James,⁴ b. Oct. 2, 1850; d. June 25, 1920; m. Christopher Temple Emmet.
46. ix. Henrietta,⁴ b. Aug. 3, 1853; bapt. Aug. 14, 1854 (St. Peter's Church, Albany, N. Y.); living 1921, at Ithaca, N. Y.; m. June 6, 1876, at Christ Church, Pelham, N. Y., to Leslie Pell-Clarke of Newport, R. I. (who by baptism was Henry Leslie Pell), b. Feb. 20, 1853; d. April 7, 1904, at Cooperstown, N. Y. He was a son of Duncan Campbell Pell, Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island, by his wife Anna Clarke, who was a daughter of George Clarke of Cooperstown, N. Y., by his wife Ann Carly, who was the widow of Richard F. Cooper of Cooperstown. George Clarke was descended from Lieut. Governor George Clarke of New York. Children: (Pell-Clarke), if any, none surviving.

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13. ELLEN KING⁸ JAMES, b. Jan. 20, 1823, Albany, N. Y. (she was probably named for her older half-sister, Ellen⁸ (James) King (wife of James King), who died two months after her birth (see No. 4 of this record)); d. Oct. 30, 1849, at Albany, N. Y., and was buried in Albany Rural Cemetery; m. June 18, 1842, at Albany, N. Y., by Rev. William⁸ James, to Smith Thompson Van Buren (as his first wife), b. Jan. 16, 1817; d. Dec. 10, 1876, at Fishkill-on-Hudson, N. Y. He was a son of President Martin Van Buren by his wife Hannah Hoes, of Kinderhook and Albany, N. Y., and Washington, D. C. Smith Thompson Van Buren was named for his father's friend, Judge Smith Thompson of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and was Secretary of Legation when Washington Irving was Minister to Spain. (See *A Small Boy and Others*, p. 12). Children: 3 (Van Buren), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

- +47. i. Ellen James,⁴ b. June 10, 1844; living 1922, in New York City; m. Stuyvesant Fish Morris.
- 48. ii. Catherine Barber,⁴ who was twice married and was living in 1921; no issue.
- 49. iii. Edward Livingston,⁴ who d. March 10, 1873, at Brighton, Eng., in his 25th year and was buried in Albany, N. Y., Rural Cemetery; he did not marry.

Smith Thompson Van Buren m. (2) Feb. 1, 1855, at Grace Church, New York City, to Henrietta Irving, who d. April 13, 1921, at Bournemouth, Eng. She was a daughter of Gabriel Furman Irving (Columbia College, 1826) by his wife Eliza Eckford of New York City. Gabriel Furman Irving was a son of Judge John Treat Irving, and a nephew of Washington Irving. Eliza Eckford's sister was the wife of Joseph Rodman Drake; her niece Janet, was Mrs. G. C. De Kay.

Children: 3 (Van Buren), 1 son and 2 daughters. *Not in James line.*

- 1. Martin, living 1922, in England.
- 2. Eliza Eckford, bapt. Jan. 23, 1858 (Grace Church, New York City records).
- 3. Marian Irving, who m. Hamilton Emmons of Hamble, Southampton, Eng.

AUTHORITIES:

Family and church records;—*The Van Buren Family*, p. 164.

14. HOWARD⁸ JAMES, b. Nov. 8, 1828, perhaps at Albany, N. Y.; d. Aug. 9, 1887, at New York City; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; m. (1) April 5, 1858, by the Rev. Mr. Pitkin, at St. Peter's Church, Albany, N. Y., to Frances Burr Pearson, b. Nov. 16, 1830, at Avon, N. Y.; d. March 6, 1859, at Albany, N. Y. She was probably a daughter of Henry and Grace (Plumb) Pearson. Grace Plumb was a sister of Hon. Josiah B. Plumb of Albany, N. Y., and Canada, and a daughter of Rev. Elijah Griswold Plumb by his wife Grace H. Burr.

Child: 1 (James) son:—

- 50. i. Francis Burr,⁴ b. shortly before the death of his mother which occurred on March 6, 1859; d. March 1, 1888, at St. Augustine, Fla.; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; he was not married.

Howard⁸ James, m. (2) May 17, 1860, at Holy Innocent's Church, Albany, N. Y., by the Rev. Mr. Pitkin, to Josephine Worth, b. —, 1831, about, at Albany, N. Y.; d. Aug. 31, 1920, at New York City; buried Albany Rural Cemetery. She was a daughter of General William Jenkins Worth by his wife Margaret Stafford who were of Hudson and Albany, N. Y. General Worth was an outstanding figure in the Mexican War and was Commandant of Cadets at the U. S. M. A., West Point, 1820-1828.

Children: 6 (James), 1 son and 5 daughters:—

- 51. ii. Agnes,⁴ b. Feb. 11, 1861; bapt. St. Peter's Church, Albany; d. Aug. 17, 1861.
- +52. iii. Florence,⁴ b. June 14, 1862; d. Jan. 11, 1908; m. Irving Collins Rosse.
- 53. iv. Edith,⁴ b. Feb. 26, 1864; bapt. St. Peter's Church, Albany; d. Dec. 28, 1892, Clifton Springs, N. Y.
- 54. v. Howard,⁴ b. —, 1866; d. Sept. 29, 1920, at New York City, leaving a widow. He was a graduate of the Georgetown School of Medicine in 1893. The names of his two wives and those of any possible issue are not known to the writer.
- 55. vi. Grenville,⁴ b. —, 1870, at Binghamton, N. Y.; d. Feb. 14, 1911, at New York City, aged 40 years; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; he was not married.



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From a daguerreotype

56. vii. Mary W.,⁴ who is said to have been twice married. The names of her husbands and of any possible issue are unknown to the writer.

AUTHORITIES:

Church and cemetery records;—*The Plumbs* (1893), p. 64;—*Pierson Genealogy*, by Lizzie B. Pierson, p. 27.

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16. LYDIA LUSH⁴ JAMES, b. Aug. 22, 1820, at Albany, N. Y. (according to records of the First Dutch Reformed Church of Albany she was bapt. Lydia Stringer James); d. Jan. 5, 1897, New York City; m. April 5, 1839, by Aaron Clark, Mayor of New York City, to Henry Mason of New York City, b. Feb. 22, 1819; d. April 10, 1891, at Paris, France. He was a son of John Mason, a famous New York merchant, by his wife Rebecca Clarke. Henry and Lydia Lush⁴ (James) Mason made their home chiefly at Rossville, Staten Island, until the death of their only son in 1879. The brick mansion, facing the Arthur Kill was surrounded by beautiful grounds laid out, it is said, by Frederick Law Olmsted, in the midst of a park of over a hundred acres. About the year 1920, a fire destroyed the greater part of the house. Adjoining on Ross' Cove, Arthur Kill, was the William Ellery Ross estate.

Henry⁴ James makes mention of the Mason family, whose lives have been largely spent abroad, in a *Small Boy and Others*, p. 378, *et seq.*

Children: 5 (Mason), 1 son and 4 daughters:—

+57. i. Lydia Stringer,⁵ b. Jan. 29, 1840; d. Sept. 8, 1918; m. Heyward Cutting.

58. ii. Helen,⁵ b. —, 1841, at Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. March 16, 1897, at Sorrento, Italy; m. Dec. 6, 1883, New York City, (see Records of Grace Church, New York City), to Hon. William Wood (as his 3rd wife), b. Oct. 21, 1808, Glasgow, Scotland; d. Oct. 1, 1894, New York City, N. Y. He was a son of John and Elizabeth (Dennistoun) Wood of Scotland. William Wood not only amassed a fortune, but was Commissioner of Education of New York for 19 years, and was active in many other worthy causes. His *Autobiography* written only for his family and dedicated to his wife, Helen (Mason) Wood, contains many interesting pages descriptive of early travel in America. Much of this volume might well be available to a larger circle. William Wood's nephew, John Walter Cross, was the husband of "George Eliot." Children: (Wood) None.

William Wood m. (1) Sept. 15, 1830, at New York City, Harriet Amelia Kane, b. April 12, 1810, at New York City; d. April 17, 1846, at New York City. She was a daughter of John and Maria (Codwise) Kane of New York.

Children: 7 (Wood), 3 sons and 4 daughters. *Not in James line.*

1. John Walter, b. Oct. 16, 1831, Glasgow, Scotland; d. June 29, 1905, South Orange, N. J.; Columbia College, 1852; m. Sept. 24, 1856, South Orange, N. J., to Sabina Redmond.
2. Charlotte Matilda, b. Dec. 7, 1832, at Everton, Liverpool, Eng.; d. Jan. 27, 1917, Northampton, Eng.; m. June 3, 1863, Clifton, Eng., to Rev. Edward Bell.
3. Elizabeth Dennistoun, b. May 12, 1836, Liverpool, Eng.; d. May 25, 1909, at Kane, Pa.; m. April 21, 1853, at New York City to Gen. Thomas Leiper Kane.
4. Harriet Maria, b. Aug. 31, 1838, at Bootle, Liverpool, Eng.; d. March 10, 1904, at White Plains, N. Y. She did not marry.
5. William, b. April 14, 1841, Liverpool, Eng.; d. Jan. 20, 1867, at Northampton, Mass. He did not marry.

6. Helen, b. Aug. 30, 1843, at Everion, Liverpool, Eng.; d. May 14, 1919, at New York City; m. April 25, 1864, at New York City, George Burghall Watts.
 7. Alexander Dennistoun, b. April 14, 1846, New York City; d. July 25, 1846, at New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.
William Wood m. (2) at Astoria, Long Island, N. Y., Margaret Lawrence, b. Sept. 28, 1824, at New York City; d. March 21, 1871, at New York City. She was a daughter of James Van Horne and Emily Augusta (Kane) Lawrence of New York City. Children: 6 (Wood), 5 sons and 1 daughter. *Not in James line.*
 8. Robert Ferguson, b. Aug. 1, 1848, New York City; d. July 9, 1849 on Staten Island, N. Y.
 9. Margaret Augusta, b. Feb. 11, 1850, New York City; d. Sept. 3, 1851, at New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.
 10. Dennistoun (Columbia College 1870), b. May 29, 1851, at New York City; d. Jan. —, 1902, at Irvington, N. Y.; m. Jan. 2, 1875, New York City, Edith Phillips.
 11. Henry Duncan (Columbia College, 1872), b. Jan. 28, 1853, at New York City; d. March 5, 1915, at Islip, Long Island, N. Y.; m. April 24, 1878, St. Louis, Mo., Ellen E. Pulsifer.
 12. Chalmers (Columbia College, 1875), b. Jan. 30, 1856, New York City; living 1922, in New York City; m. June 9, 1881, at New York City, Ellen Appleton Smith.
 13. Van Horne Lawrence, b. April 11, 1860, New York City; living 1922; m. Bessie Dora Biggs.
- +59. iii. Gertrude,⁵ b. July 1, 1842; d. Feb. 1, 1888; m. Lewis Manning Brown.
- +60. iv. Serena,⁵ b. Oct. 8, 1847; d. Nov. 12, 1891; m. Lewis Mortimer Carnes.
61. v. Henry,⁵ b. Aug. 4, 1853, Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. March 20, 1879, at Rossville. He studied art in Paris under Gerome and gave great promise. He did not marry.

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18. ANNA MCBRIDE⁴ JAMES, b. Nov. 15, 1826, at Clarkson (near Rochester), N. Y.; d. July 9, 1907, at New York City; buried Albany Rural Cemetery; m. June —, 1855, at Albany, N. Y., to Isaac Edwards, b. Aug. 30, 1819, at South Corinth, Saratoga Co., N. Y.; d. March 26, 1879, at Albany, N. Y.; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery. He was a son of John and Sarah (Cooper) Edwards of South Corinth, N. Y. Isaac Edwards was among Albany's foremost lawyers; he was a member of the faculty of the Albany Law School and later its Dean; he was also a member of the Board of Public Instruction and a prolific writer upon legal and educational subjects. He was the author of *An Essay on Brokers and Factors*;—*A Treatise on Bills of Exchange*;—*A Treatise on the Law of Bailments*, etc., etc.

Children: 6 (Edwards), 3 sons and 3 daughters (probably all born in Albany):—

62. i. William James,⁵ b. April 5, 1856; d. July 21, 1856; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery.
63. ii. Katharine James,⁵ b. Aug. 1, 1857; d. July 27, 1907; buried in Albany Rural Cemetery. She did not marry.
64. iii. Henry Ames,⁵ b. July 19, 1859; living in 1921, at Ballston Spa, N. Y., unmarried.



JEANNETTE JAMES (BARKER)
1814-1842

From a portrait in the possession of George Higginson, Esq.

- 65. iv. Anna,⁵ b. June 30, 1860; d. Oct. 7, 1860; buried Albany Rural Cemetery.
- 66. v. Charles,⁵ b. May 14, 1865; d. Nov. 23, 1865; buried Albany Rural Cemetery.
- 67. vi. Elizabeth Seelye,⁵ b. Sept. 23, 1868; living 1921, at Ballston Spa, N. Y., unmarried.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—Record of Albany, N. Y. Rural Cemetery;—*History of Albany and Schenectady Counties*, p. 201;—*Hudson and Mohawk Valley Genealogies*, II, p. 741.

20. ELIZABETH TILLMAN⁴ JAMES, b. July 1, 1833, at Albany, N. Y.; bapt. Sept. 8, 1833 (Records First Presbyterian Church of Albany); d. March 5, 1881, at Amherst, Mass.; m. Oct. 23, 1853, by the Rev. William³ James (her father), to Rev. Julius Hawley Seelye (Records of the First Dutch Reformed Church of Albany), b. Sept. 14, 1824, Bethel, Conn.; d. May 12, 1895, at Amherst, Mass. He was a son of Seth and Abigail (Taylor) Seelye of Bethel, Conn. Rev. Julius Hawley Seelye graduated from Amherst College, 1849, and from the Auburn Theological Seminary in 1852.

He was ordained by the Classis of Schenectady, N. Y., and installed as pastor of the First Dutch Reformed Church of Schenectady, Aug. 10, 1853. In 1858, he resigned his pastoral charge and became Professor of Mental and Moral Philosophy at Amherst College, which chair he filled until 1875, when he went to Washington as a Member of Congress from Massachusetts in the 44th Congress. He was President of Amherst College, 1877-1890. Reproductions of photographs of Dr. Seelye may be seen in Tyler's *History of Amherst College*, p. 198, or in the *History of the Reformed Dutch Protestant Church of Schenectady*, pp. 18, 21. Dr. Seelye was the author of a number of essays on educational and religious topics; he also translated treatises upon like topics. The Rev. Laurens Clarke Seelye, President emeritus of Smith College, in nearby Northampton, Mass., is a brother of the late Dr. Julius Hawley Seelye.

Children: 4 (Seelye), 1 son and 3 daughters:—

- +68. i. William James,⁵ b. April 10, 1857; living 1921; m. Mary Alice Clarke.
- +69. ii. Elizabeth James,⁵ b. Oct. 26, 1862; d. April 10, 1894; m. James Wilson Bixler.
- +70. iii. Anna Hawley,⁵ b. Sept. 19, 1866; living 1921; m. Benjamin Kendall Emerson.
- +71. iv. Mabel,⁵ b. Oct. 14, 1871; d. July 2, 1919; m. James Wilson Bixler.

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22. MARY ANN⁴ KING, b. Dec. 7, 1819, Albany, N. Y.; d. March 12, 1892, Washington, D. C.; m. Sept. 18, 1844 (see Records First Presbyterian Church, Albany), to Minturn Post, M. D., b. June 28, 1808, at New York City; d. there April 26, 1869; (Columbia College, 1827; University of Pennsylvania, 1832.) He was a son of Henry and Mary (Minturn) Post of New York City. Dr. Post was an eminent physician in New York City; his country home was at Baywood, Clifton, Staten Island, New York.

Children: 6 (Post), 2 sons and 4 daughters (the order of their birth here given is conjectural):

- 72. i. Ellen James,⁵ b. Dec. 4, 1845, New York City; d. Aug. 12, 1847.
- 73. ii. Henry,⁵ b. —?; d. in infancy.
- 74. iii. Mary Minturn,⁵ b. —? Staten Island; d. June 9, 1903, at Southern Pines, N. C.; m. Clifford Allen Hereshoff Bartlett (Columbia College, 1873; University of New York, 1874); living 1921. He

is a son of William Osborne and Agnes Frederika Hereshoff (Willard) Bartlett of New York City. No issue.

- 75. iv. Helen Minturn,⁵ b. —?; d. March 23, 1922, at New York City; she did not marry.
- 76. v. Eugene Minturn,⁶ b. May 25, 1853; d. Nov. 15, 1883, at Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y.; he did not marry.
- +77. vi. Bertha King,⁶ b. Oct. 13, 1854; d. Sept. 3, 1920; m. Franklin Barlett.

AUTHORITIES:

Family, church and cemetery records;—Appleton's *Cyclopedia of American Biography*, V, p. 84;—*Post Family*, p. 292.

23. CATHERINE ELIZABETH⁴ JAMES, b. Aug. 1, 1828, Albany, N. Y.; d. April 4, 1858, at New York City; m. Aug. 16, 1848, at "Linwood," Rhinebeck, N. Y., by the Rev. William³ James to Robert Emmet, Jr., b. Sept. 30, 1819; d. Aug. 19, 1870, at New Rochelle, N. Y. He was a son of Judge Robert and Rosina (Hubley) Emmet. Judge Robert Emmet was of the Class of 1810, Columbia College. Rosina Hubley was the daughter of Judge Michael Hubley and Rosina Strumpf (who were born in Germany and who settled in Lancaster, Pa.). Judge Robert Emmet was a son of Thomas Addis Emmet (the brother of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot) who came to New York City in 1804, and at once took his place among the leading barristers of his time. There is a monument to his honor in St. Paul's churchyard, New York City, towards the erection of which his client William James was a contributor. Judge Robert Emmet was a member of the New York Assembly in 1828.

Children: 3 (Emmet) sons:—

- 78. i. William Augustus,⁵ b. Nov. 24, 1849, at No. 10 Waverly Place, New York City; d. —? (before 1898); he did not marry; he was living in 1882, at Williamsbridge, Westchester Co., N. Y.
- 79. ii. Robert,⁶ b. Dec. 17, 1850, at No. 10 Waverly Place, New York City; d. Jan. 14, 1884, at Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Columbia College, 1876; he did not marry.
- 80. iii. Edward Graves,⁶ b. Oct. 14, 1853, at No. 14 West 12th Street, New York City; living 1882, at San Francisco, Cal.; he is said to have married there.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Emmet Genealogy*;—Appleton's *Cyclopedia of American Biography*, II, p. 349.

24. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS⁴ JAMES, b. Dec. 29, 1831, Albany, N. Y.; d. July 17, 1876, at New York City; m. May 19, 1853, at No. 28 West 11th Street, New York City, at the home of the bride's parents, to Julia Livingston Lowndes, b. July 15, 1829; d. Jan. 26, 1875, at New York City; buried in St. James churchyard, Hyde Park on the Hudson, N. Y.; her husband was also buried there. She was a daughter of Major Rawlins Lowndes, U. S. Army (Class 1820, U. S. M. A.), by his wife Gertrude Laura Livingston of "Hopelands," Staatsburgh, Dutchess Co., N. Y. Major Lowndes resigned from the U. S. Army in 1830; he was a rice planter on the Santee River, near Georgetown, S. C., 1830-61; and from 1861 to 1877 lived at Staatsburgh, N. Y., where he d. Aug. 10, 1877, aged 76. Major Rawlins Lowndes was a son of Thomas Lowndes by his wife Sara Bond Ion, a South Carolina beauty, whose portrait by Gilbert Stuart is among that painter's most successful works. Julia Livingston (Lowndes) James was a grand-daughter of Maturin Livingston by his wife Margaret Lewis who was a daughter of Morgan Lewis, Governor of New York and of the Class of 1773 at Princeton College. An aunt of Julia Livingston (Lowndes) James was Angelica Livingston, who married Alexander Hamilton, Jr. Mrs. Thomas Tillotson, who was a great-aunt of Mrs. Rawlins Lowndes, long presided over "Linwood." Mrs. Rawlins Lowndes' daughter Julia, when a bride, in her turn, became mistress of "Linwood."



JOHN BARBER JAMES
1816-1856
From a daguerreotype

Child: 1 (James) son:—

81. i. William Lowndes,⁵ b. June 1, 1855, at New York City; living in 1882, at Post Mills, Orange Co., Vt., and in 1908, at Baltimore, Md.; m. (1) ———? (the name of his first wife, or name of any possible issue from this union is unknown to the writer); m. (2) ———, 1894 (about), to Katharine Montague, b. June 30, 1856; living 1921, in Baltimore, Md. She is a daughter of General Charles Price Montague by his wife Eliza C. Denison of Maryland.
Children: (James), none that are known to the writer.

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Family, church and cemetery records;—Dutchess Co., N. Y. probate records;—*N. E. H. G. Register*, Vol. XXX, p. 164j;—*Francis Lewis and Morgan Lewis*;—*Descendants of Peter Montague*, p. 228;—*Cullum's Biog. Reg. of Graduates of the U. S. M. A.*, Vol. I, p. 255.

25. GERTRUDE⁴ JAMES, b. Nov. 22, 1834 (1827 according to one record), at Albany, N. Y.; d. March 24, 1889, at Washington, D. C.; buried (according to Grace Church, New York City records), at Cleveland, Ohio (this statement cannot be verified by the writer); m. (1) Oct. 15, 1850, Tuesday, at noon, to James Muirson Pendleton (Records of Grace Church, New York City), b. Jan. 14, 1832; bapt. Jan. 17, 1832, by the Rev. J. McVickar (Records of Trinity Parish, New York City); d. Nov. 2, 1862, at Washington, N. C. ("Killed in the service of his country while acting as volunteer aide to Major General Foster, with the rank of Captain.") He was a son of Dr. James Muirson Pendleton (Columbia College, 1814, 1818, 1819) by his wife Margaret Jones who resided in New York City. He was a grandson of Major Nathaniel Pendleton by his wife Susan Bard, who was a daughter of Dr. John Bard. Major Nathaniel Pendleton was an *aide-de-camp* to General Greene of the Continental Army; he was an original member of the Virginia Chapter of the Society of the Cincinnati and he was a second of Alexander Hamilton in his duel with Aaron Burr; and he was also, after the Revolutionary War, a distinguished judge in New York City. Edmund Pendleton, the statesman was an uncle of Major Nathaniel Pendleton. Major Pendleton built "*Placentia*," a mansion just north of the Bard place at Hyde Park, N. Y. (near St. James' Church there), which was still standing in 1921, though it had long been untenanted. In *A Small Boy and Others*, pp. 41, 377, 385, *et seq.*, will be found references to the young Pendleton household.

Children: 2 (Pendleton), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

82. i. James Muirson,⁵ b. Nov. 13, 1853; bapt. in Paris, France; d. in childhood, in Paris, France.
83. ii. Elizabeth Margaret,⁵ b. April 27, 1856, in Florence, Italy; d. April 14, 1857, in Paris, France.

25. GERTRUDE⁴ JAMES, m. (2) Oct. 30, 1872, at New York City, by the Rev. Samuel Cook, D. D., of St. Bartholomew's Church to McKendree Wise Jones of New York City and Virginia; he was b. March 6, 1838, and was living in 1889, in Fauquier County, Va., where he and his wife had made their home for some years and where he owned "*Glenara Farm*." He entered the University of Virginia from Concord, Campbell Co., Va., shortly before the outbreak of the War of the Rebellion. He enlisted in the Confederate Army, May 11, 1861, together with John D. Jones, at Lynchburg, Va., and is recorded as of Pittsylvania Co., Va., in the records of Washington and Lee University from the Law School of which institution he graduated in 1861. His niece, Eva Jones, is called by his wife in her will "my adopted daughter, Eva L. Jones." McKendree Wise Jones practiced law in New York City for several years. Children: (Jones) None.

AUTHORITIES:

Family and church records;—Probate records of New York County, Dutchess County, N. Y., and of the District of Columbia;—Records of the University of Virginia;—Records of the War Department, Washington;—*The Bard Family*, pp. 97-9;—*Some Prominent Virginia Families*, IV, p. 242;—James Smith's *Dutchess County, N. Y.*, pp. 301-2;—*Colonial Families in the United States*, IV, p. 430.

26. MARIE BAY⁴ JAMES, b. Nov. 29, 1841, at Paris, France; d. Sept. 29, 1904, at Larchmont, N. Y.; m. April 28, 1864, at Trinity Chapel, New York City, to Col. Charles Robert Coster, b. Dec. 23, 1839, New York City; d. Dec. 23, 1888, at New York City. He was a son of John Henry and Sarah Adeline (Boardman) Coster. Sarah Adeline Boardman was a cousin of Mrs. Federal Beekman Vanderburgh, who was the mother of Mary Helen (Vanderburgh) James, (see No. 10 of this record). Col. Charles Robert Coster served in the War of the Rebellion and attained the rank of Colonel of Volunteers. He was wounded and resigned his commission after his marriage. He was Provost-Marshal and Pension Agent in New York City.

Children: 4 (Coster), 2 sons and 2 daughters:—

- +84. i. Charles,⁵ b. May 22, 1866; d. April 28, 1908; m. Helen Louise Anthon.
- +85. ii. William Bay,⁵ b. Sept. 1, 1868; d. Dec. 19, 1919; m. Maria Griswold Gray.
- +86. iii. Adeline Boardman,⁵ b. Feb. 4, 1871; living 1921; m. Henry Dickerson Steers.
- +87. iv. Elizabeth Mary,⁵ b. July 7, 1877; living 1921; m. Alfred Egmont Schermerhorn.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*New York Herald*;—*Boardman Genealogy*, p. 409.

27. WILLIAM⁴ JAMES, M. D., b. Jan. 11, 1842, in the Astor House, New York City; d. Aug. 26, 1910, at Chocorua, N. H.; m. July 10, 1878, by the Rev. Rufus Ellis, at the home of the bride's grandmother, No. 153 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass., to Alice Howe Gibbens, b. Feb. 5, 1849, at Weymouth, Mass.; d. Sept. 30, 1922, and was buried in the Cambridge, (Mass.) Cemetery. During her widowhood, Mrs. James lived in the house which her husband designed at No. 95 Irving Street, Cambridge, Mass. She was a daughter of Daniel Lewis Gibbens, M. D. (Harvard, 1847), by his wife Eliza Putnam Webb of Weymouth, Mass. Doctor Gibbens was the great-grandson of Fitch Gibbens who went to Massachusetts from Waterford, Ireland, about 1750. A portrait and some account of the life of Dr. Gibbens' father, Daniel Lewis Gibbens, Senior, appears in the *History of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Massachusetts*, Vol. II, p. 346, III, p. 32.

The career of Dr. William⁴ James, eminent as a writer on psychological and philosophical subjects, and his career as a professor at Harvard (from the Medical School of which seat of learning he graduated in 1869), need not here be enlarged upon. A comprehensive idea of his life may be had from *The Letters of William James* (No. 27 of this record), edited by his son Henry⁵ James (No. 88 of this record) in 1920. Among the works emanating from his pen we may mention *Pragmatism*, *The Will to Believe*, *The Principles of Psychology*, *Talks to Teachers on Psychology*, *The Varieties of Religious Experience*, etc., etc. A complete list of his writings is given in *An Annotated Bibliography of the writings of William James*, by R. B. Perry. Two portraits of Dr. William⁴ James by Ellen Emmet Rand are located in Cambridge, Mass., one of them at Harvard University.

Children: 5 (James), 4 sons and 1 daughter:—

- 88. i. Henry,⁵ b. May 18, 1879, at Boston, Mass.; Harvard College, 1899, 1904; living 1923, in New York City; m. June 11, 1917, at

Oakdale, Long Island, N. Y., to Olivia Cutting. She is a daughter of William Bayard Cutting (Columbia College, 1869-1871-1872), by his wife Olivia Murray, both of New York City. Mrs. Henry⁵ James is living in 1923. Henry⁵ James served overseas in the World War. A number of the notes from family records which have been used in this compilation were collected by him. He was manager of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research in New York City, 1912-1918; he has held office in several welfare organizations and made a notable contribution to literature in bringing out in 1920 the *Letters* of his father, William⁴ James. No issue.

- +89. ii. William,⁵ b. June 17, 1882; living 1921; m. Alice Rutherford Runnells.
- 90. iii. Herman,⁵ b. Jan. 31, 1884, Cambridge, Mass.; d. July 9, 1885, Cambridge, Mass.
- +91. iv. Margaret Mary,⁵ b. March 24, 1887; living 1921; m. Bruce Porter.
- +92. v. Alexander Robertson,⁵ b. Dec. 22, 1890; living 1921; m. Fredrika M. Paine.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records.

29. GARTH WILKINSON⁴ JAMES, b. July 21, 1845, at New York City, N. Y.; d. Nov. 15, 1883, Milwaukee, Wis.; m. Nov. 12, 1873, to Caroline Eames Cary, b. Sept. 15, 1851, Milwaukee, Wis.; living 1921, at Milwaukee. She is a daughter of Joseph and Caroline (Eames) Cary of Milwaukee. Garth Wilkinson⁴ James was a Civil Engineer and served as Adjutant of the 54th Massachusetts Regiment under Col. Robert Shaw in the War of the Rebellion. He was wounded in 1863 at the assault upon Fort Wagner. In *Notes of a Son and Brother*, p. 244, will be found a reproduction of a drawing of him as a wounded soldier being brought back from the battlefield; and on pp. 312 and 390 will be found further references to him. The published letters of both of his distinguished brothers, moreover, make frequent mention of him. He left an account of the engagement at Fort Wagner which is referred to in *Memories and Studies*, p. 50.

Children: 2 (James), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- +93. i. Joseph Cary,⁵ b. Oct. 4, 1874; living 1921; m. Antoinette Pierpont.
 - 94. ii. Alice,⁵ b. Dec. 14 (or 24), 1875, Milwaukee, Wis.; living 1921, at Milwaukee; m. Feb. 17, 1910, at Milwaukee, to David Alexander Edgar, b. May 19, 1865, at Hamilton, Ontario, Canada; living 1921, at Milwaukee. He is a son of William and Helen (Cox) Edgar of Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- Children: None.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*John Cary, Plymouth Pilgrim*, p. 224.

30. ROBERTSON⁴ JAMES, b. Aug. 29, 1846, at Albany, N. Y.; d. July 3, 1910, at Concord, Mass.; buried Sleepy Hollow, Concord, Mass.; m. Nov. 18, 1872, at Milwaukee, Wis., to Mary Holton, b. —? at Milwaukee; living 1921. She is a daughter of Hon. Edward D. and Lucinda C. (Millard) Holton. Robertson⁴ James, like his brother, Garth Wilkinson⁴ James, was an officer in the War of the Rebellion.

Children: 2 (James), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- +95. i. Edward Holton,⁵ b. Nov. 18, 1873; living 1921; m. Mary Louisa Cushing.
- +96. ii. Mary Walsh,⁵ b. Aug. 18, 1875; living 1921; m. George Vaux, Jr.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Notes of a Son and Brother*, pp. 375, et seq.;—*Letters of William James*;—*Letters of Henry James*.

33. ELIZABETH HAZARD⁴ BARKER, b. May 23, 1836, Albany, N. Y.; d. Jan. 6, 1901, Stockbridge, Mass.; m. Dec. 17, 1862, at the Church of the Holy Communion, New York City, to George Higginson of Stockbridge, Mass., b. Aug. 6, 1833, New York City; d. June 19, 1921, Stockbridge, Mass. He was a son of George and Mary Cabot (Lee) Higginson of Boston, Mass., and New York City.

Children: 3 (Higginson), 2 sons and 1 daughter:—

- +97. i. George,⁵ b. Sept. 3, 1864; living 1921; m. (1) Edith Green Griswold; m. (2) Emily Wakem.
- +98. ii. Augustus Barker,⁵ b. June 16, 1866; living 1921; m. (1) Mary Frances Girvan; m. (2) Ednah Sherman Girvan.
- 99. iii. Jeannette B.,⁵ b. Sept. 1, 1869, at Stockbridge, Mass.; d. Dec. 30, 1903, Chicago, Ill. She did not marry.

AUTHORITIES:

Descendants of Rev. Francis Higginson, by Thomas Wentworth Higginson, p. 41.

40. KATHARINE⁴ TEMPLE, b. Aug. 25, 1843, Albany, N. Y.; bapt. Dec. 20, 1847, at St. Peter's Church, Albany; d. Sept. 25, 1895, at New Rochelle, N. Y.; m. Sept. 29, 1868, at Christ Church, Pelham, N. Y., to Richard Stockton Emmet, b. Feb. 22, 1821, New Rochelle, N. Y.; d. Nov. 25, 1902, New York City. He was a graduate of Columbia College, at the age of 18, in the Class of 1839. He was a son of Judge Robert and Rosina (Hubley) Emmet of New York City (see No. 23 of this record). A portrait of Mrs. Robert Stockton Emmet, by William⁴ James (No. 27 of this record), is reproduced on p. 96 of *Notes of a Son and Brother*, and another portrait of her by John La Farge is in the possession of her descendants in New Rochelle.

Children: 6 (Emmet), 3 sons and 3 daughters:—

- +100. i. William Temple,⁵ b. July 28, 1869; d. Feb. 4, 1918; m. Cornelia Booraem Zabriskie.
- +101. ii. Richard Stockton,⁵ b. March 10, 1871; d. Feb. 7, 1897; m. Mary Lamport Olyphant.
- +102. iii. Katharine Temple,⁵ b. March 9, 1873; living 1921; m. Martin Jerome Keogh.
- +103. iv. Elizabeth Le Roy,⁵ b. Dec. 22, 1874; living 1921; m. Nicholas Biddle.
- +104. v. Grenville Temple,⁵ b. Aug. 2, 1877; living 1921; m. Pauline Anne Ferguson.
- +105. vi. Eleanor Temple,⁵ b. Jan. 13, 1880; living 1921; m. John Willard Lapsley.

AUTHORITIES:

Family, church and cemetery records;—*Emmet Genealogy*.

45. ELLEN JAMES⁴ TEMPLE, b. Oct. 2, 1850; bapt. St. Peter's Church, Albany, Aug. 14, 1854; d. June 25, 1920, Salisbury, Conn.; m. (1) Sept. 15, 1869, to Christopher Temple Emmet, M. D. (University of Virginia), b. Sept. 4, 1822; d. —, 1884, Green River, Wyo. He was a son of Judge Robert and Rosina (Hubley) Emmet (see No. 23 of this record).

Dr. Christopher Temple Emmet also studied law and was admitted to the bar and for many years practiced this latter profession in San Francisco, Cal. Children: 6 (Emmet), 1 son and 5 daughters:—

- +106. i. Mary Temple,⁵ b. Feb. 4, 1872; living 1921; m. Archibald Russell Peabody.
- 107. ii. Rosina Hubley,⁵ b. Aug. 29, 1873; living 1921, New York City; not married.
- +108. iii. Ellen Gertrude⁵ ("Bay"), b. March 4, 1875; living 1921; m. William Blanchard Rand.



CATHARINE MARGARET JAMES (TEMPLE)
1820-1854

From a portrait in the possession of George Higginson, Esq.

109. iv. Edith Leslie,⁵ b. May 17, 1877; living 1921, New York City; not married.

110. v. Christopher Temple,⁵ died young.

111. vi. Katharine Temple,⁵ died young.

45. ELLEN JAMES⁴ (TEMPLE) EMMET was m. (2) Sept. 1, 1891, by the Rev. Charles Higbee, at Christ Church, Pelham, N. Y., to George Hunter, b. —, 1847, Glasgow, Scotland; d. June 26, 1914, Glasgow, Scotland. He was a son of Moses and Mary (—?) Hunter of Glasgow, Scotland.

Child: 1 (Hunter) son:—

+112. vii. George Grenville,⁵ b. July 14, 1892; living 1921; m. Georgina Englebert Burrows.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Emmet Genealogy*.

47. ELLEN JAMES⁴ VAN BUREN, b. June 10, 1844, Albany, N. Y.; living 1921, New York City; m. Dec. 10, 1868, at St. Mark's in the Bowery, New York City, to Stuyvesant Fish Morris, M. D. (Columbia College, 1863, '66, '67), b. Aug. 3, 1843; New York City; living 1921, New York City. He was a son of Dr. Richard Lewis Morris of "Morrisania" (Columbia College, 1826 and 1830), by his wife Elizabeth Stuyvesant Fish of New York.

Children: 5 (Morris), 3 sons and 2 daughters:—

113. i. Elizabeth Marshall,⁵ b. Oct. 4, 1869, New York City; d. Jan. 11, 1919, at Philadelphia, Pa.; m. Oct. 31, 1907, New York City, to Benjamin Woolsey Rogers, b. Feb. 23, 1879; living 1921. He is a son of Hoffman and Lucy Dix (Ferdon) Rogers of Philadelphia, Pa. Children: None.

114. ii. Van Buren,⁵ b. July 2, 1871, New York City; d. March 21, 1872, New York City.

+115. iii. Ellen Van Buren,⁵ b. June 10, 1873; living 1921; m. Francis Livingston Pell.

+116. iv. Richard Lewis,⁵ b. Nov. 26, 1875; living 1921; m. Carolyn Whitney Fellowes.

+117. v. Stuyvesant Fish,⁵ b. May 22, 1877; living 1921; m. Elizabeth Hills Wynkoop.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*James Rogers and His Descendants*, p. 241;—*Descendants of Lewis Morris of Morrisania*.

52. FLORENCE⁴ JAMES, b. June 14, 1862, Albany, N. Y. (bapt. St. Peter's Church, Albany); d. Jan. 11, 1908, New York City; m. —, 1890, about, to Irving Collins Rosse, M. D., b. Oct. 2, 1847, at East New Market (or Cambridge), Dorchester Co., Md.; d. May 3, 1901, at Washington, D. C. He was a son of Zadock Henry Rosse, M. D., by his wife Debora Mary Collins of Cambridge, Md.; and a grandson of the Rev. John Rosse of "All Hallows," Worcester Co., Md. Dr. Irving Collins Rosse was educated at St. James College, Annapolis, Md., at the University of Maryland, Baltimore (1866), at the New York Post Graduate Hospital (1881), and in London, Paris and Berlin. He was the recipient of honorary degrees from Georgetown University and from various institutions in Europe. "In the fields of mental and nervous disease, medical juris-prudence, geographical exploration, and most of all perhaps in the province of editing and general authorship, Dr. Rosse's work possesses high and enduring value." He was a member of the Jeannette Relief Expedition and was made a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society. A list of his writings has been published.

Child: 1 (Rosse) son:—

118. i. George Morton,⁵ b. —, 1891, about; living, not married, in 1921 at Foochow, Fukien, China. He went to China with a Presbyterian

minister, and eventually entered the employ of the Chinese Government.

AUTHORITIES:

Family, church and cemetery records;—*American Medical Biographies*, 1002;—Various other medical publications and newspaper articles.

FIFTH GENERATION IN AMERICA.

57. LYDIA STRINGER⁵ MASON, b. Jan. 29, 1840, in Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. Sept. 8, 1918, in Paris, France; m. Jan. 29, 1863, by the Rev. Jesse Pound of Rossville, Staten Island, at Trinity Chapel, New York City, to Heyward Cutting, b. Jan. 29, 1837, New York City; d. July 28, 1876, aged 39 years. He was of the Class of 1859, Harvard College. He was a son of Hon. Francis Brockholst Cutting by his wife Ann Markoe Heyward, who resided in New York City and Westport, Conn. Francis Brockholst Cutting (who studied at Columbia College), was an eminent lawyer in New York City; he was in the New York State Legislature in 1836 and was a representative from New York in the Federal Congress in 1853-5. He was a war democrat, but was a supporter of the Union in the War of the Rebellion.

Lydia Stringer⁵ Mason was in her girlhood a great belle; it is related of her that she with nine other young beauties of the leading New York families were chosen to dance with the Prince of Wales, at a ball given in his honor in New York City, October 12, 1860. "Miss Lydia, while dancing with the Prince got a nail through the sole of her slipper into her foot; but notwithstanding, she danced out the dance." (The same evening the ball room floor fell through, but no one was hurt).

Children: 2 (Cutting), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

119. i. Annie Heyward,⁶ b. Dec. 6, 1863; d. Nov. 18, 1921, Paris, France; m. (1) Nov. 10, 1890, at her parents' home, No. 101 Fifth Avenue, New York City, as her first husband, to Baron Raoul Vrière, b. April 2, 1865, in St. Josse-ten-Noode, Belgium; he was living in 1914. He was the eldest son of Alfred, 4th Baron de Vrière and Emelie, Comtesse van der Stegen de Putte, of Brussels, Belgium. Of this marriage (which was dissolved) there was no surviving issue. She m. (2) July 11, 1903, in London, England, Vladimir Constantinovitch. He was a son of Constantine Constantinovitch, and a brother of the wife of Prince Michael of Montenegro, whose sister is Queen Helena of Italy. By this, her second marriage, there was no issue.

- +120. ii. Henry Mason,⁶ b. June 12, 1865; d. Oct. 29, 1892; m. Angela Mills.

AUTHORITIES:

Family Records;—*Descendants of John Jones and John Mason*, by Marie Caroline Post;—*The Titled Nobility of Europe*, edition of 1914, pp. 108, 1532.

59. GERTRUDE⁵ MASON, b. July 1, 1842, in Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. Feb. 1, 1888, in Hot Springs, N. C.; m. Nov. 21, 1867, at Trinity Chapel, New York City, by the Rev. William H. Benjamin, to Lewis Manning Brown, b. June 16, 1838, at Rahway, N. J.; d. Dec. 8, 1910, on board the *Balantia* (in the waters of British West Indies). He was a son of Lewis Blanchard and Emma (Manning) Brown of Elberon, N. J.

Children: 3 (Brown), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

- +121. i. Lydia Mason,⁶ b. Jan. 12, 1874; living 1921; m. Bartholomew Jacob.

- +122. ii. Lewis Blanchard,⁶ b. April 29, 1875; living 1921; m. Susan C. Valentine.

123. iii. Gertrude Mason,⁶ b. Jan. 15, 1879, at New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. Dec. 24, 1911, at Shippan Point, Stamford, Conn. She did not marry.



ELLEN KING JAMES (VAN BUREN)
1823-1849
From a daguerreotype

Lewis Manning Brown m. (2) —, 1898, about, to Mellie Sparrow. She was living in 1921, in Paris, Maine. By this his second marriage there was, as far as the compiler is informed, no issue.

AUTHORITIES:

Family and church records.

60. SERENA⁵ MASON, b. Oct. 8, 1847, in Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. Nov. 12, 1891, at the Hotel Windsor, Monte Carlo; m. Oct. 8, 1867, at Trinity Chapel, New York City, by the Rev. William H. Benjamin, to Lewis Mortimer Carnes, b. May 8, 1837, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; d. Jan. 12, 1893, New York City. He was a son of Nathaniel Greene and Mary Carnes (Wainwright) Carnes of Salem and Boston, Mass.

Children: 4 (Carnes), 3 sons and 1 daughter:—

- 124. i. Lewis Mortimer,⁶ b. July 12, 1868, Rossville, Staten Island, N. Y.; d. there —, 1872, in the summer.
- +125. ii. Mason,⁶ b. Jan. 20, 1870; living 1921; m. (1) Comtesse Lydia de Bylandt; m. (2) Claudine (Sharp) Perrin.
- 126. iii. Mary,⁶ b. March 13, 1872, Rossville; d. July 20, 1872, Rossville.
- 127. iv. John Wainwright,⁶ b. April 27, 1875, at Rossville; d. —, 1879.

AUTHORITIES:

Family and church records.

68. REV. WILLIAM JAMES⁵ SEELYE, b. April 10, 1857, in Schenectady, N. Y.; living 1921, in Washington, D. C.; m. Sept. 1, 1886, Iowa City, Iowa, to Mary Alice Clarke, b. Nov. 27, 1858, in Iowa City, Iowa; living 1921, in Washington, D. C. She is a daughter of Charles Franklin and Julia (Brown) Clarke, of Iowa City, Iowa. Dr. William James⁵ Seelye took degrees at Amherst in 1879 and at Wooster University, Ohio in 1882. He has also been connected as student or teacher with Williston Seminary, Johns Hopkins University, University of Edinburgh, Scotland, Halle University and University of Leipsig, the American School at Athens, Greece, Iowa College, Lawrenceville, N. J., School and Parsons College in Fairfield, Iowa. He is the author of *Greek Conditional Sentences* and *A New Greek Method*.

Children: 3 (Seelye), 2 sons and 1 daughter:—

- +128. i. Laurens Hickok,⁶ b. July 25, 1889; living 1921; m. Kate Ethel Chambers.
- 129. ii. Katharine Elizabeth,⁶ b. Jan. 12, 1891, in Fairfield, Iowa; living 1921, at the University of Illinois in Urbana, Ill. She graduated Wooster University, Ohio, in 1911 and Damrosch Musical Institute, New York City in 1917.
- 130. iii. Julius Franklin,⁶ b. June 8, 1899, in Wooster, Ohio; d. May 26, 1918, at the Embarkation Hospital, Newport News, Va. He was a corporal and served in the World War.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records.

69. ELIZABETH JAMES⁵ SEELYE, b. Oct. 26, 1862, in Amherst, Mass.; d. April 10, 1894, in New London, Conn.; m. Aug. 4, 1891, in Amherst, Mass., to Rev. James Wilson Bixler, b. Feb. 28, 1861, in Hanover, Pa.; living 1921, in Exeter, N. H. He is a son of David Daniel and Almira (Wilson) Bixler of Hanover, Pa. James Wilson Bixler graduated from Amherst College, A. B., 1882, and A. M., 1887; Yale Divinity School, B. D., 1887; Roanoke College, Virginia, D. D., 1903. He was pastor of the North Congregational Church, Haverhill, Mass., 1889-91; of the Second Congregational Church, New London, Conn., 1891-1916; Professor of Biblical and Christian Theology, Atlanta Theological Seminary, 1916-1918, and pastor of the Congregational Church, Exeter, N. H., 1918.

Child: 1 (Bixler) son:—

131. i. Julius Seelye,⁶ b. April 4, 1894, in New London, Conn.; living in 1921, at the American University, Beirut, Syria. He studied at Amherst College; m. Sept. 21, 1918, in Westfield, Mass., to Mary Thayer of Minneapolis, Minn.

Dr. James Wilson Bixler married a second time, Mabel⁵ Seelye (sister of his first wife) and under her record, No. 71 of this article, will be found the information relative to this second marriage.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—Massachusetts Vital Records, State House, Boston, Mass.;—*Alumni-Non-Graduates of Amherst College*, Vol. II, p. 193.

70. ANNA HAWLEY⁵ SEELYE, b. Sept. 19, 1866, in Amherst, Mass.; living 1921, in Amherst, Mass.; m. Sept. 4, 1901, by the Rev. L. Clarke Seelye, D. D., in Amherst, Mass., to Professor Benjamin Kendall Emerson (as his second wife), b. Dec. 20, 1843, in Nashua, N. H.; living 1921, in Amherst, Mass. He is a son of Benjamin Frothingham and Elizabeth (Kendall) Emerson of Nashua, N. H. Professor Emerson is a geologist, Amherst College, A. B., 1865, Göttingen, Ph. D., 1870. He was Professor of Mineralogy and Geology at Amherst in 1872, and at Smith College, 1872-1912; in 1896, he was the geologist of the U. S. Geological Survey; he is a member of many learned societies and the author of geological papers and monographs. He is also the compiler of *The Emerson Family*.

Children: 2 (Emerson), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

132. i. Elizabeth James,⁶ b. March 1, 1903, in Amherst, Mass.

133. ii. Henry Seelye,⁶ b. March 21, 1907, in Amherst, Mass.

Professor Emerson was married first April 2, 1873, by the Rev. Gordon Hall in Amherst, Mass., to Mary Annette Hopkins, b. April 2, 1848, in Northampton, Mass.; d. July 31, 1897, Amherst, Mass. She was a daughter of Hon. Erastus and Charlotte Frelinghuysen (Allen) Hopkins.

Children: 6 (Emerson), 2 sons and 4 daughters; *not in the James line*.

1. Charlotte Frelinghuysen, b. Jan. 3, 1874, in Northampton, Mass. (Smith College, 1895); m. July 7, 1903, in Amherst, Mass., to Albert White Hitchcock; they were living in 1922, in Hartford, Conn.
2. Benjamin Kendall, M. D., b. June 27, 1875 (Amherst College, 1897; Harvard Medical, 1901); m. Oct. 1, 1903, Josephine Devereux Sewall of Watertown, N. Y.; they were living in 1922, in Worcester, Mass.
3. Edward Hopkins, b. Sept. 18, 1877 (Amherst College, 1899); he m. Charlotte —? and in 1922 was living in New York City.
4. Annette Hopkins, b. Sept. 8, 1879, Northampton, Mass.; m. March 29, 1900, in Amherst, Mass., to Thomas C. Estey; they were living in 1922, in Amherst, Mass.
5. Malleville Wheelock, (a daughter), b. Aug. 28, 1887 (Smith College, 1908).
6. Charlotte Dwight, b. March 14, 1891; living 1921, in New York City.

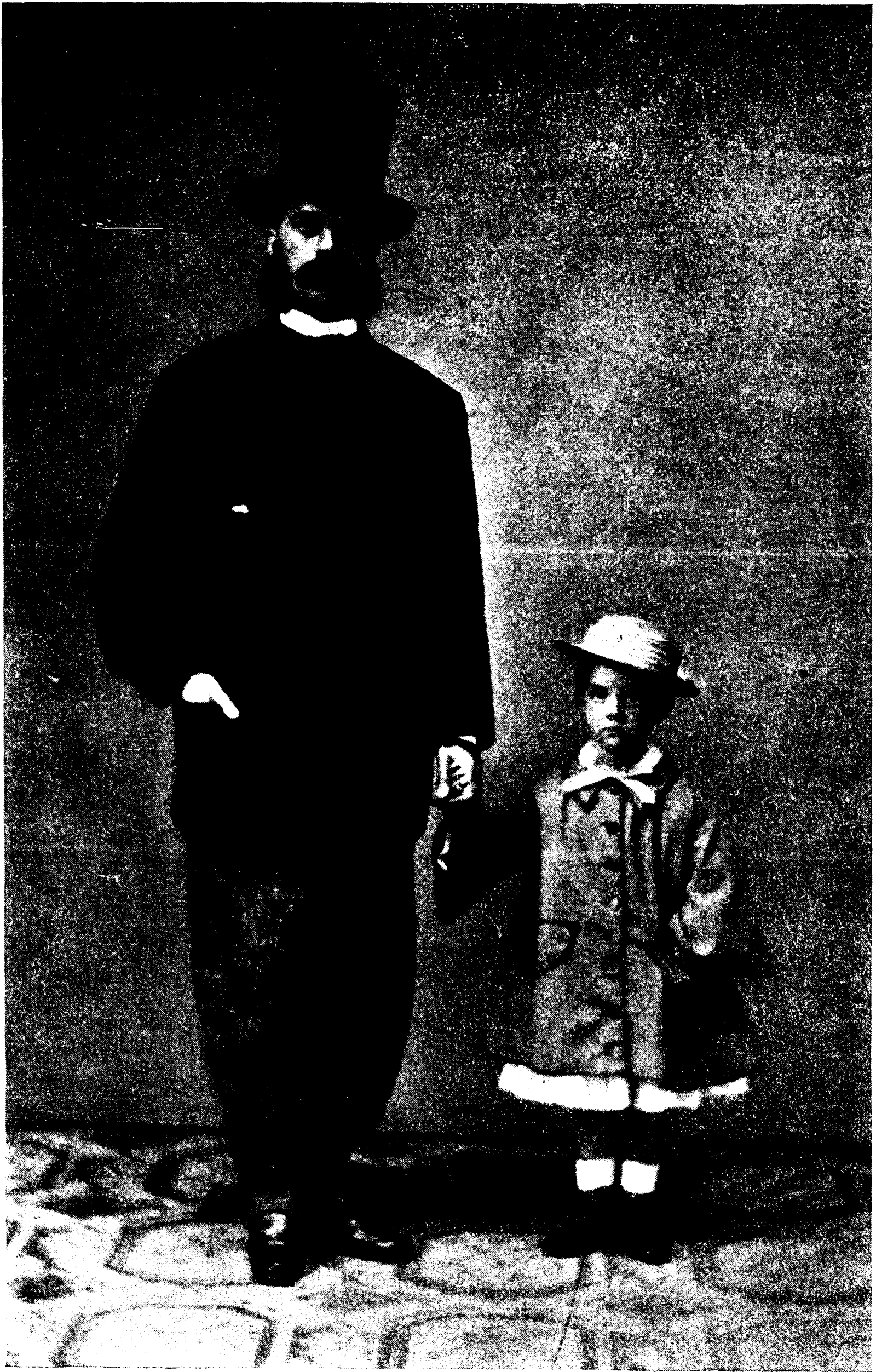
AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*The Emerson Family*, p. 389.

71. MABEL⁵ SEELYE, b. Oct. 14, 1871, in Amherst, Mass.; d. July 2, 1919, in Jaffrey, N. H.; m. Sept. 7, 1898 (as his second wife), to Rev. James Wilson Bixler (whose first wife was her sister, Elizabeth James⁵ Seelye, No. 69 of this record), b. Feb. 28, 1861, in Hanover, Pa.; living 1921, in Exeter, N. H. For the personal record of Rev. James Wilson Bixler, see record No. 69.

Children: 3 (Bixler), 2 sons and 1 daughter:—

134. i. Elizabeth Seelye,⁶ b. Oct. 29, 1899, in New London, Conn.; living 1921, as a student at Smith College, Northampton, Mass., of which seat of learning her great uncle, Rev. Laurens Clarke Seelye is President emeritus.



HOWARD JAMES AND HIS SON FRANK
1828-1887
From a daguerreotype

135. ii. James Wilson,^o b. Oct. 6, 1901, in New London, Conn.; living 1921, as a student at Amherst College, Amherst, Mass.
136. iii. Herbert Edwards,^o b. June 10, 1911, in New London, Conn.; living 1921, at home with his parents.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—Massachusetts Vital Records, State House, Boston, Mass.

77. BERTHA KING⁵ POST, b. Oct. 13, 1854, in New York City; d. Sept. 3, 1920, in Colorado Springs, Colo.; m. June 4, 1872, at Trinity Chapel, New York City, to Col. Franklin Bartlett, b. Sept. 10, 1847, in Grafton, Mass.; d. April 23, 1909, in New York City (Harvard, A. B., 1869; Columbia, 1870, 1873, 1878, LL.B., 1873). He was a son of William Osborne Bartlett by his wife Agnes Frederika Hereshoff Willard of Rhode Island, Massachusetts and New York City. Col. Franklin Bartlett was an eminent lawyer in New York City (as were also his father and brother); he was a Representative in the U. S. Congress from the 7th New York District 1873-77; he served in the Spanish American War and was a member of the New York Charter Revision Committee in 1900.

Children: 4 (Bartlett), 2 sons and 2 daughters:—

137. i. Ethel Willard,^o b. April 15, 1873, in New York City; d. May —, 1891, in Aix les Bains, France.
138. ii. William Franklin,^o b. Aug. 31, 1875, in New York City; d. April 5, 1876.
- +139. iii. Bertha King,^o b. Jan. 2, 1877; living 1923; m. Harry Horton Benkard.
140. iv. William Osborne,^o b. Jan. 12, 1885; living 1921, in Blanca, Colo.; m. Dec. —, 1914, in Denver, Colo., to Ella Coles (Mrs. Canning), b. —? living 1921.

AUTHORITIES:

Family and church records;—*Harvard College, Class of 1869*;—Vital Records of Massachusetts, State House, Boston, Mass.

84. CHARLES⁵ COSTER, b. May 22, 1866, at No. 23 West 22nd Street, New York City; d. April 28, 1908, in New York City; m. June 10, 1891, at No. 21 West 33rd St., New York City, to Helen Louise Anthon, b. —? living 1923, in New York City. She is a daughter of Edward and Helen Louise (Post) Anthon and a grand-daughter of the Rev. Henry Anthon (Columbia College, 1813, 1816 and 1832), who was the Rector of St. Marks-in-the-Bowery, New York City.

Child: 1 (Coster) daughter:—

141. i. Helen Louise,^o b. March 25, 1893; d. Aug. 27, 1901, in Southampton, Long Island, N. Y.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Ancestry of Charles Anthon*, p. 44.

85. WILLIAM BAY⁵ COSTER, b. Sept. 1, 1868; d. Dec. 19, 1919, in Bourne-mouth, England; m. Oct. 1, 1900, at St. Saviour's Church, Bar Harbor, Me., to Maria Griswold Gray, b. Nov. 12, 1868, in Paris, France; living 1923, in Paris, France. She is a daughter of Henry Winthrop and Mary (Travers) Gray of New York City and a grand-daughter of George Winthrop and Maria (Griswold) Gray of Boston, Mass., and New York City.

Children: 3 (Coster), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

142. i. Matilda Gray,^o b. Dec. 25, 1901, New York City; living 1923, in Paris, France.
143. ii. Maria Griswold,^o b. April 4, 1903, New York City; d. Oct. 19, 1918.
144. iii. William Bay,^o b. Jan. 13, 1908, in Paris, France; living 1921, in Paris, France.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records; *Hist. Coll. Essex Institute*, Vol. LII, p. 135.

86. ADELINE BOARDMAN⁵ COSTER, b. Feb. 4, 1871, at No. 16 University Place, New York City; living 1923, in New York City; m. Oct. 22, 1889, in Grace Church Chantry, New York City, to Henry Dickerson Steers, b. Nov. 24, 1865, New York City; living in 1923 in New York City. He is a son of Henry Dickerson and Phoebe Ann (Waters) Steers of New York City.

Children: 2 (Steers) sons:—

+145. i. Henry Coster,⁶ b. Aug. 31, 1890; living 1923, Port Chester, N. Y.; m. Lillian A. Palmer.

146. ii. Charles Robert Coster,⁶ b. July 11, 1896, Westchester Village, N. Y.; living 1923, Port Chester, N. Y.; m. Nov. 6, 1922, Gladys O'Donohue. He served in the World War.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

87. ELIZABETH MARY⁵ COSTER, b. July 7, 1877, in New York City; living 1923, in New York City; m. March 16, 1897, at Grace Church, New York City, to Alfred Egmont Schermerhorn, b. Nov. 22, 1871, in New York City (Yale College, 1895); living 1923, in New York City. He is a son of Alfred and Charlotte N. (Benton) Schermerhorn of New York City.

Child: 1 (Schermerhorn) son:—

147. i. Alfred Coster,⁶ b. Jan. 3, 1898, at No. 24 West 11th Street, New York City; living in 1923, in New York City; Yale College, 1920; he served in the World War.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Schermerhorn Genealogy*, p. 172.

89. WILLIAM⁵ JAMES, b. June 17, 1882, in Cambridge, Mass.; (Harvard College, 1903), living 1921, at Cambridge, Mass.; m. Jan. 6, 1912, to Alice Rutherford Runnells, b. Oct. 4, 1884, in Des Moines, Iowa; living 1921, at Cambridge, Mass. She is a daughter of John Sumner Runnells (Amherst, 1865), by his wife Helen Rutherford Baker of Chicago, Ill. William⁵ James studied anatomy in Geneva and Marburg and in the Harvard Medical School; he is a painter of portraits and landscapes. He served in the World War in France.

Children: 2 (James) sons, both living in 1921:—

148. i. William,⁶ b. April 17, 1913, in Boston, Mass.

149. ii. John Sumner Runnells,⁶ b. Aug. 29, 1914, Cambridge, Mass.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

91. MARGARET MARY⁵ JAMES, b. March 24, 1887, in Cambridge, Mass.; living 1921, in San Francisco, Cal.; m. Oct. 6, 1917, in Cambridge, Mass., to Bruce Porter, b. Feb. 23, 1865, in San Francisco, Cal., where he was residing in 1921. He is a son of Charles Bruce and Annie (Williamson) Porter. Bruce Porter is an artist and writer; he designed the R. L. Stevenson monument in San Francisco, etc., etc., and with Gelett Burgess, originated the *Lark*.

Children: 3 (Porter), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

150. i. Robert Bruce,⁶ b. Aug. 6, 1918, in San Francisco; living 1922.

151. ii. Annie Mary,⁶ b. Nov. 6, 1919, in San Francisco; d. Dec. 7, 1919, in San Francisco.

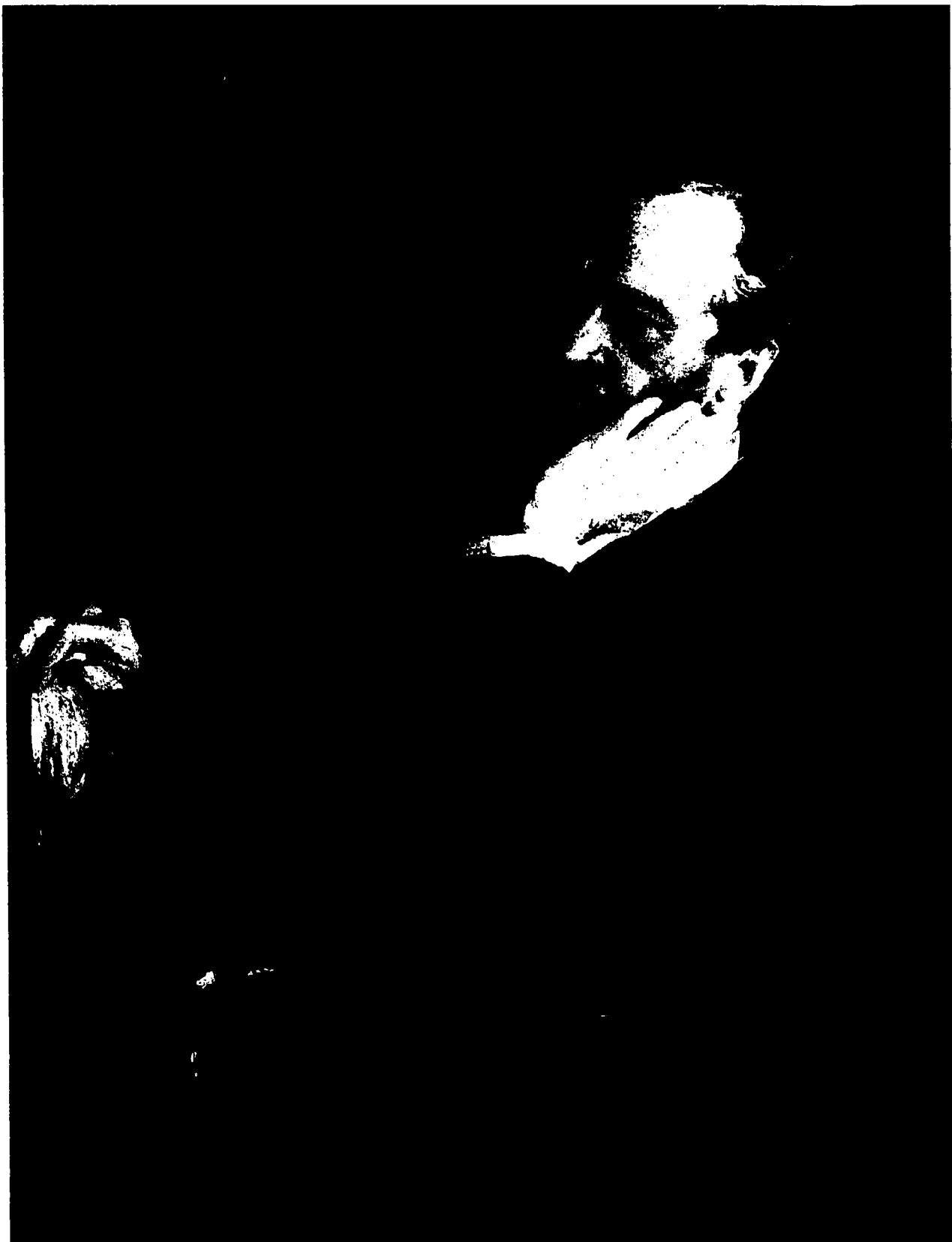
152. iii. Catherine Janet,⁶ b. May 4, 1921, in San Francisco; living 1922.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Who's Who in America*.

92. ALEXANDER ROBERTSON⁵ JAMES, b. Dec. 22, 1890, in Cambridge, Mass.; living 1921, in Dublin, N. H.; m. Aug. 31, 1916, in Newport, R. I., to Fredrika M. Paine, b. Nov. 20, 1885, in Washington, D. C.; living 1921. She is a daughter of Frederick H. and Marion Isabelle (Myers) Paine of Newport, R. I. Alexander Robertson⁵ James is a painter of portraits and of landscapes; he has been a teacher in the Corcoran Art School in Washington, D. C.

Children: 2 (James) sons, both living in 1922:—



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WILLIAM¹ JAMES
(1842-1910)

From a hitherto unpublished portrait by Ellen (Emmet) Rand, now in the possession of
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153. i. Alexander Robertson,⁶ b. Dec. 10, 1918, in Santa Barbara, Cal.
 154. ii. Daniel Robertson,⁶ b. March 15, 1922, in Cambridge, Mass.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

93. JOSEPH CARY⁵ JAMES, b. Oct. 4, 1874, in Milwaukee, Wis.; living 1921, in Milwaukee; m. Oct. 16, 1907, in Milwaukee, to Antoinette Pierpont, b. Aug. 21, 1874, in Milwaukee; living 1921. She is a daughter of John and Ellen (McGregor) Pierpont of Milwaukee.

Child: 1 (James) son:—

155. i. Garth Pierpont,⁶ b. Jan. 16, 1909, in Milwaukee; living 1921.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

95. EDWARD HOLTON⁵ JAMES, b. Nov. 18, 1873, in Prairie du Chien, Wis.; living 1921, in Seattle, Wash. (Harvard College, 1896); m. Dec. 27, 1899, in Boston, Mass., by the Rev. Edward L. Atkinson, to Mary Louisa Cushing, b. Aug. 8, 1865, in Belmont, Mass.; living 1921. She is a daughter of Robert Maynard and Olivia Donaldson (Dulany) Cushing of Boston, Mass. Edward Holton⁵ James is a lawyer.

Children: 3 (James) daughters, all born in Seattle, Wash.:—

156. i. Olivia,⁶ b. Oct. 20, 1900.
 157. ii. Mary,⁶ b. Oct. 25, 1902.
 158. iii. Louisa,⁶ b. Feb. 19, 1905.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records; *Cushing Genealogy*, p. 459;—*Harvard College, Class of 1896*;—Massachusetts Vital Records, State House, Boston, Mass.

96. MARY WALSH⁵ JAMES, b. Aug. 18, 1875, in Milwaukee, Wis.; living 1921, in Bryn Mawr, Pa.; m. April 2, 1907, in Philadelphia, Pa., to George Vaux, Jr., b. Dec. 18, 1863, in Philadelphia, Pa.; living 1921. He is a son of George Vaux, VIII, by his wife Sarah H. Morris of Philadelphia. George Vaux, Jr. (Haverford, 1884, University of Pennsylvania, 1888), is a lawyer and a writer on scientific subjects, being also engaged in reformatory and penological work.

Children: 2 (Vaux) sons:—

159. i. George,⁶ b. Sept. 30, 1908, in Bryn Mawr, Pa.; living 1921.
 160. ii. Henry James,⁶ b. Nov. 6, 1912, in Bryn Mawr, Pa.; living 1921.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Who's Who in America*;—*Morris Genealogy*, V, 278.

97. GEORGE⁵ HIGGINSON, b. Sept. 3, 1864, in Stockbridge, Mass.; living 1921, in Chicago, Ill. (Harvard, 1887); m. (1) May 20, 1891, by Rev. Dr. Rainsford in Grace Church Chantry, New York City, to Edith Green Griswold, b. April 21, 1859, in New York City; d. July 30, 1896, in Winnetka, Ill. She was a daughter of George and Lydia (Alley) Griswold of New York City.

Child: 1 (Higginson) son:—

161. i. Roger Griswold,⁶ b. Feb. 2, 1894, in Chicago, Ill.; d. Dec. 30, 1903.

George⁵ Higginson m. (2) Sept. 7, 1898, at Winnetka, Ill., to Emily Wakem of Winnetka, b. May 22, 1864, in Colquimbo, Chile, South America; living 1921, in Chicago. She is a daughter of James Ogilvie and Mary Jennifer (Nancarrow) Wakem.

Children: 3 (Higginson), 1 son and 2 daughters, all born in Winnetka, Ill.:—

162. ii. George,⁶ b. July 16, 1899; d. Sept. 22, 1901.
 163. iii. Theresa,⁶ b. Oct. 30, 1901; living 1921.
 164. iv. Emily,⁶ b. Jan. 21, 1903; living 1921.

AUTHORITY:

Descendants of Rev. Francis Higginson, pp. 41, 47.

98. AUGUSTUS BARKER⁵ HIGGINSON, b. June 16, 1866, in Stockbridge, Mass.; living 1921, in Santa Barbara, Cal.; m. (1) May 23, 1895, in Lenox, Mass., to Mary Frances Girvan, b. May 8, 1868, in New York City; d. Jan. 29, 1905,

in Santa Barbara, Cal. She was a daughter of John and Janet (McGee) Girvan. He m. (2) May 29, 1907, in Piedmont, Cal., to Ednah Sherman Girvan (a cousin of his first wife), b. June 28, 1879, in Martinez, Cal.; living 1921, in Santa Barbara, Cal. She is a daughter of William and Sarah (Sherman) Girvan.

Children: (Higginson), none that are known of to the writer.

AUTHORITY:

Descendants of Rev. Francis Higginson, p. 41.

100. WILLIAM TEMPLE⁵ EMMET, b. July 28, 1869, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; d. Feb. 4, 1918, in New York City; m. June 16, 1896, at West Hampton Beach, Long Island, N. Y., to Cornelia Booraem Zabriskie, b. —?; living 1923, in New York City. She is a daughter of Augustus Zabriskie (Princeton, 1863 and 1866; Harvard, 1866) by his wife Josephine B. Booraem of New York City, and a grand-daughter of Chancellor Zabriskie of New Jersey. William Temple⁵ Emmet practiced law for many years in New York City; he was State Superintendent of Insurance, 1912-14.

Children: 3 (Emmet), 2 sons and 1 daughter, all born in New York City:—

- 165. i. Katharine Temple,⁶ b. Oct. 8, 1899; living 1923, in New York City; m. May 24, 1922, in New York City, to Cass Canfield, son of A. Cass and Josephine (Houghteling) Canfield of New York City.
- 166. ii. Richard Stockton,⁶ b. April 4, 1897; living 1921, in New York City; m. Oct. 11, 1919, in Glen Cove, Long Island, N. Y., to Helen L. Pratt. She is a daughter of Frederick B. and Caroline A. (Ladd) Pratt of Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 167. iii. William Temple,⁶ b. Jan. 19, 1907; living 1923.

AUTHORITIES:

Emmet Genealogy;—Who's Who in America.

101. RICHARD STOCKTON⁵ EMMET, b. March 10, 1871, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; d. Feb. 7, 1897, in Albany, N. Y. (where he served as an Assemblyman from the Second District of Westchester Co., N. Y.); m. June 6, 1894, in St. John's Church, Troy, N. Y., to Mary Lamport Olyphant, b. —? living 1921, at Melrose, N. Y. She is a daughter of Harwood Vernon Olyphant by his wife Mary Kidd Lamport of New York City.

Child: 1 (Emmet) daughter:—

- 168. i. Mary Olyphant,⁶ b. March 14, 1895, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; d. Sept. 18, 1913, in Ridgefield, Conn.

Mary Lamport (Olyphant) Emmet m. (2) April 19, 1899, in New York City, to Philip Curtis, b. May 19, 1873, in Boston, Mass.; living 1921 (Harvard, 1895). He is a son of Nathaniel William and Sarah James (Scull) Curtis of Boston.

Children: (Curtis), none that are known of to the writer.

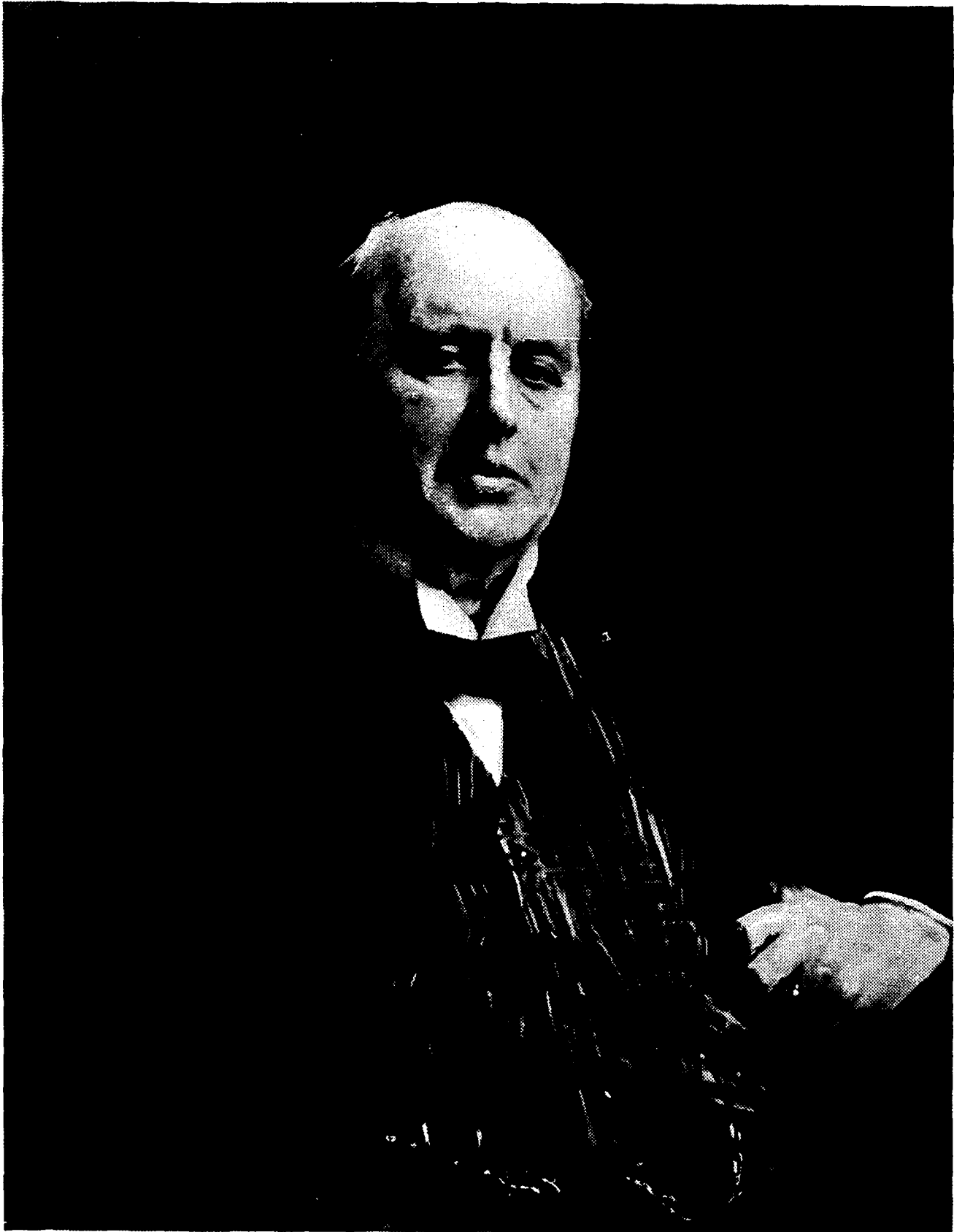
AUTHORITIES:

Family and cemetery records;—*Emmet Genealogy;—Harvard College, Class of 1895.*

102. KATHARINE TEMPLE⁵ EMMET, b. March 9, 1873, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; living 1923, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; m. May 26, 1894, in New Rochelle, N. Y., to Judge Martin Jerome Keogh (as his 2nd wife), b. Nov. 11, 1852, in County Wexford, Ireland; living 1923, in New Rochelle, N. Y. He is a son of John and Margaret (Phelan) Keogh of Waterford, Ireland. Judge Martin Jerome Keogh came to New Rochelle, N. Y., from Ireland in 1873 (New York University, 1875) and has long been a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York.

Children: 9 (Keogh), 5 sons and 4 daughters:—

- 169. i. Richard Emmet,⁶ b. Sept. 5, 1896, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; Columbia, 1918; served in the World War; m. Sept. 15, 1917, in Rye, N. Y., to Adeline Hotchkiss, who is a daughter of Horace



HENRY⁴ JAMES

(1843-1916)

(From a portrait by John Singer Sargent in the National Portrait Gallery, London)

- Leslie, II (Columbia, 1889) and Dora (Toffey) Hotchkiss, of Rye, N. Y.
170. ii. Grenville Temple,⁶ b. Nov. 5, 1897, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; served in the World War; m. Sept. 10, 1919, in New Rochelle, N. Y., to Emma Mary Pallen, who is a daughter of Conde Benoist and Georgiana McDougall (Adams) Pallen, of St. Louis, Mo., and New Rochelle, N. Y.
 171. iii. John M.,⁶ b. Oct. 28, 1898, in New York City; served in the World War.
 172. iv. Katharine Temple,⁶ b. Jan. 3, 1900, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
 173. v. Hugh,⁶ b. April 26, 1902, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
 174. vi. Margaret Phelan,⁶ b. May 6, 1903, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
 175. vii. Terence Jerome,⁶ b. Feb. 22, 1905, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
 176. viii. Mary,⁶ b. Oct. 17, 1907, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
 177. ix. Brigid Temple,⁶ b. Sept. 9, 1909, in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Judge Martin Jerome Keogh m. (1) Mary C. Whiting who died about 1885. She was a daughter of Dr. Alexander Whiting of Westchester, N. Y. Children: 2 (Keogh) sons. *Not in James line.*

1. Alexander, b. April 18, 1881, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; d. Aug. 9, 1918, in Biltmore, N. C. (Harvard, 1903). He served in the World War.
2. Martin Jerome, who was living in 1923, in New Rochelle, N. Y. He served in the World War with the rank of Captain.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Who's Who in America.*

103. ELIZABETH LE ROY⁵ EMMET, b. Dec. 22, 1874; living 1923, in New York City; m. Dec. 12, 1905, in New Rochelle, N. Y., to Nicholas Biddle, b. Dec. 4, 1879, in Prescott, Ariz.; Harvard, 1900. He is a son of James and Ellen Fish (McGowan) Biddle.

Children: 3 (Biddle), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

178. i. Nicholas,⁶ b. —, 1906; living 1923.
179. ii. Temple⁶ (daughter), b. —, 1908; living 1923.
180. iii. Ellen,⁶ b. —, 1912; living 1921.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

104. GRENVILLE TEMPLE⁵ EMMET, b. Aug. 2, 1877, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; living 1923, in New York City; Harvard, A. B., 1898; m. Sept. 18, 1905, in St. Paul, Minn., to Pauline Anne Ferguson, b. Feb. 15, 1879; living 1923, in New York City. She is a daughter of Paul Dudley and Anne (Borup) Ferguson.

Children: 3 (Emmet), 1 son and 2 daughters, all born in New York City:—

181. i. Pauline Anne,⁶ b. Oct. 29, 1906.
182. ii. Grenville Temple,⁶ b. March 31, 1909.
183. iii. Elizabeth Patricia,⁶ b. Oct. 14, 1918.

AUTHORITIES:

Emmet Genealogy;—*Harvard Class of 1900*;—*Genealogies of Southern New York*, Vol. II, p. 914.

105. ELEANOR TEMPLE⁵ EMMET, b. Jan. 13, 1880, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; living 1923, in Mount Kisco, N. Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1905, in Pelham Manor, N. Y., to John Willard Lapsley, b. Aug. 13, 1869, in New York City; d. Sept. 8, 1921, at Bedford, N. Y. He was Harvard, 1890; and was a son of Howard and Katharine Aldis (Willard) Lapsley of Washington, D. C., and New York City. Children: 6 (Lapsley), 2 sons and 4 daughters, all living in 1921:—

184. i. Katharine Temple,⁶ b. July 5, 1906, at No. 12 West 37th Street, New York City.
185. ii. Eleanor Emmet,⁶ b. Nov. 12, 1907, in New Rochelle, N. Y.

- 186. iii. Jane Grenville,⁶ b. March 24, 1909, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
- 187. iv. Howard,⁶ b. Dec. 15, 1910, in New Rochelle, N. Y.
- 188. v. Elizabeth,⁶ b. June 2, 1913, at No. 77 E. 91st Street, New York City.
- 189. vi. David,⁶ b. Sept. 13, 1919, at No. 103 E. 86th Street, New York City.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

106. MARY TEMPLE⁵ EMMET, b. Feb. 4, 1872; living 1921, in New York City; m. Aug. 23, 1894, to Archibald Russell Peabody, b. Aug. 31, 1873, in New York City; d. Sept. 23, 1908, in Babylon, Long Island, N. Y. He was a son of Arthur John and Eleanor Elliot (Russell) Peabody, of New York City. Arthur John Peabody was a nephew of George Peabody, the philanthropist.

Children: 2 (Peabody), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- 190. i. John Watts Russell,⁶ b. June 12, 1895, in New York City.
- 191. ii. Eleanor Elliot Russell,⁶ b. Feb. 10, 1901, in Gallatin, Sumner Co., Tenn.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

108. ELLEN GERTRUDE⁵ EMMET ("BAY"), b. March 4, 1875, in San Francisco, Cal.; living 1923, in New York City; m. May 6, 1911, in Salisbury, Conn., to William Blanchard Rand, b. Nov. 9, 1885; living 1923, in New York City. He is a son of George Curtis and Eugenia (Blanchard) Rand of New York City. Ellen Gertrude⁵ (Emmet) Rand is a well known painter. Her portraits of Benjamin Altman and Augustus St. Gaudens hang in the Metropolitan Museum in New York City. She has also painted the portraits of a number of her kinsmen, amongst whom we may mention Judge Martin Jerome Keogh, Mrs. Archibald Russell Peabody, Dr. William⁵ James, etc., etc.

Children: 3 (Rand) sons, all living in 1922:—

- 192. i. Christopher Temple Emmet,⁶ b. Feb. 14, 1910, in New York City.
- 193. ii. William Blanchard,⁶ b. May 20, 1913.
- 194. iii. John Alsop,⁶ b. Sept. 10, 1914.

AUTHORITIES:

Emmet Genealogy;—*Genealogy of the Rand Family*, p. 134.

112. GEORGE GRENVILLE⁵ HUNTER, b. July 14, 1892, in Shinnecock, Long Island, N. Y.; living 1921, in Schenectady, N. Y.; he served in the World War; m. April 21, 1914, in Toronto, Canada, to Georgina Engelbert Burrows, b. Oct. 17, 1891, in Winnipeg, Canada; living 1921, in Schenectady, N. Y. She is a daughter of Acton and Emily Engelbert (Hodge) Burrows of Canada.

Children: 2 (Hunter) daughters, both living in 1921:—

- 195. i. Penelope Engelbert,⁶ b. May 19, 1915, in Hartford, Conn.
- 196. ii. Ellen Temple,⁶ b. Jan. 18, 1918, in New York City.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

115. ELLEN VAN BUREN⁵ MORRIS, b. June 10, 1873, in New York City; living 1923, in New York City; m. Oct. 9, 1899, at Calvary Church, New York City, to Frances Livingston Pell (Columbia School of Fine Arts, 1895), b. —; living 1923, in New York City. He is a son of Walden and Melissa (Hyatt) Pell of New York City.

Children: 3 (Pell) sons, all living in 1923:—

- 197. i. Walden,⁶ b. July 3, 1902.
- 198. ii. Stuyvesant Morris,⁶ b. March 12, 1905.
- 199. iii. Francis Livingston,⁶ b. Nov. 26, 1906.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.



LYDIA L. SLOAN (JAMES), WIFE OF JOHN JAMES OF MANLIUS, N. Y.
1786-1858



JOHN JAMES, OF MANLIUS
1785-1813

116. RICHARD LEWIS⁵ MORRIS, b. Nov. 26, 1875, in New York City; living 1923, in New York City; Columbia College, 1896; served in the World War; m. June 9, 1908, in Grace Church, New York City, to Carolyn Whitney Fellowes, b. April 24, 1882, in New York City; living 1923, in New York City. She is a daughter of Cornelius and Caroline Suydam (Whitney)—Griswold—Fellowes of New York City.

Children: 3 (Morris), 2 sons and 1 daughter:—

- 200. i. Cornelia Fellowes,⁶ b. June 24, 1909, in Wave Crest, Long Island, N. Y.; living 1921.
- 201. ii. Ellen James,⁶ b. Aug. 22, 1913, in Quogue, Long Island, N. Y.; d. April 19, 1916.
- 202. iii. Richard Lewis,⁶ b. Aug. 22, 1917; living 1921.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Colonial Families of America*, V. 216;—*Whitney Genealogy*, I, 914.

117. STUYVESANT FISH⁵ MORRIS, b. May 22, 1877; living 1923, in Hewlett, Long Island, N. Y.; Columbia College, 1898; m. Dec. 27, 1900, in Calvary Church, New York City, to Elizabeth Hilles Wynkoop, b. March 11, 1878, in New York City; living 1923, in Hewlett, Long Island, N. Y. She is a daughter of Gerardus Hilles Wynkoop, M.D., Columbia, 1866, by his wife Anne Eliza Woodbury.

Children: 3 (Morris), 2 sons and 1 daughter, all living in 1923:—

- 203. i. Stuyvesant Fish,⁶ b. Feb. 19, 1902, in New York City.
- 204. ii. Martin Van Buren,⁶ b. Sept. 23, 1904, in Richmond Hill, Long Island, N. Y.
- 205. iii. Hilles⁶ (a daughter), b. June 28, 1908, in Quogue, Long Island, N. Y.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Wynkoop Genealogy*, p. 183.

SIXTH GENERATION IN AMERICA.

120. HENRY MASON⁶ CUTTING, b. June 12, 1865, in Mamaroneck, N. Y.; d. Oct. 29, 1892, in St. Augustine, Fla.; m. Nov. 28, 1888, by the Rev. Dr. Huntington in Grace Church, New York City, to Angela Mills (as her first husband), b. Sept. 29, 1866, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; living 1921, in New York City. She is a daughter of Clark Wickham and Julia Sophia (Coleman) Mills. Children: 3 (Cutting) sons, all born in New York City:—

- 206. i. a son⁷ (not named), b. and d. Oct. 16, 1889, in New York City.
- 207. ii. Heyward,⁷ b. Oct. 5, 1890, in New York City; living 1923, in New York City; Harvard College, 1914-1916; served in the World War; m. Feb. 2, 1921, in New York City, to Constance Cleveland Roberson, b. —? living 1923, in New York City. She is a daughter of William C. and Minnie Roberson (Carter) Roberson of New York City.
- 208. iii. Henry Mason,⁷ b. Oct. 7, 1892, in New York City; d. Jan. 16, 1899, in Liverpool, Eng.

Angela (Mills) Cutting m. (2) Jan. 29, 1901, in St. Bethesda by the Sea Church, Palm Beach, Fla., to John Lorimer Worden, b. Aug. 9, 1873, in Mamaroneck, N. Y.; living 1923; Harvard College, 1896. He is a son of Admiral Daniel Toffey and Annie Augusta (Wilmot) Worden. Children: (Worden) none.

AUTHORITY:

Family and church records.

121. LYDIA MASON⁶ BROWN, b. Jan. 12, 1874, in Paris, France; living 1923, in Darien, Conn.; m. April 18, 1901, in New York City, to Bartholomew Jacob, b. June 26, 1873, in Mamaroneck, N. Y.; living 1923, in Darien, Conn.

He is a son of Leonard and Emma (Lawrence) Jacob of New York City. Bartholomew Jacob was of the Class of 1896, Harvard College.

Children: 4 (Jacob), 3 sons and 1 daughter:—

- 209. i. Manning⁷ (twin), b. Aug. 11, 1902; living in 1923.
- 210. ii. Lawrence Brown⁷ (twin), b. Aug. 11, 1902; living in 1923.
- 211. iii. Emma Lawrence,⁷ b. Nov. 21, 1904; living in 1923.
- 212. iv. Henry Mason,⁷ b. June 30, 1909; d. Nov. 15, 1911.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Harvard College, Class of 1896.*

122. LEWIS BLANCHARD⁶ BROWN, b. April 29, 1875, in Paris, France; living 1923, in New York City; Harvard College, A. B., 1900; m. April 27, 1908, by the Rev. de Normandie of Boston, Mass., in New York City, to Susan C. Valentine, b. —? living 1923, in New York City. She is a daughter of Henry Chamberlain and Grace C. (Barrett) Valentine of New York City.

Children: 2 (Brown) sons, both living in 1921:—

- 213. i. Valentine Mason,⁷ b. Oct. 27, 1911, in New York City.
- 214. ii. Manning Barrett,⁷ b. Aug. 18, 1914, in Rowayton, Conn.

AUTHORITIES:

Family and church records;—*Harvard College, Class of 1900.*

125. MASON⁶ CARNES, b. Jan. 20, 1870, in New York City; living 1923, in Paris, France; University of New York, 1888; m. (1) Jan. 19, 1899, in Brussels, Belgium, to Comtesse Lydia de Bylandt, b. Sept. 4, 1872, in Brussels, Belgium; d. April 7, 1902, in Paris, France. She was a daughter of Comte Alexander de Bylandt by his wife Marie, Comtesse Van der Stegen of Brussels, Belgium.

Children: 2 (Carnes) daughters:—

- 215. i. Mary,⁷ b. and d. in Jan. 1900, in Paris, France.
- 216. ii. Serena,⁷ b. and d. in March, 1901.

Mason⁶ Carnes m. (2) June 22, 1914, in London, Eng., to Claudine (Sharp) Perrin (whose first husband was Charles Perrin and by whom she had 3 children (Perrin), viz: Caroline O. Perrin; Mary B. Perrin and Martha A. Perrin, all of whom were living in 1921), b. May 30, 1881, in Chicago, Ill.; living 1923, in Paris, France. She is a daughter of James and Nella (Buel) Sharp.

Children: (Carnes) none.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

128. REV. LAURENS HICKOK⁶ SEELYE, b. July 25, 1889, in Packard, Butler Co., Iowa; living 1921, at the American University, Beirut, Syria (Amherst College, 1911; Columbia College, 1915; Union Theological Seminary); m. Oct. 4, 1915, in the Union Theological Seminary Chapel, New York City, to Kate Ethel Chambers (Bryn Mawr, 1911; Columbia, 1913 and 1915), b. April 27, 1889, in Turkey; living 1921. She is a daughter of William Nesbitt Chambers (Princeton College, 1876; a well known missionary) and his wife Cornelia Pond (Williams) Chambers of Turkey. Mrs. Seelye is the translator (from the Arabic) of *Moslem Schisms and Sects* and (from the German) of *Mohammed and Islam*.

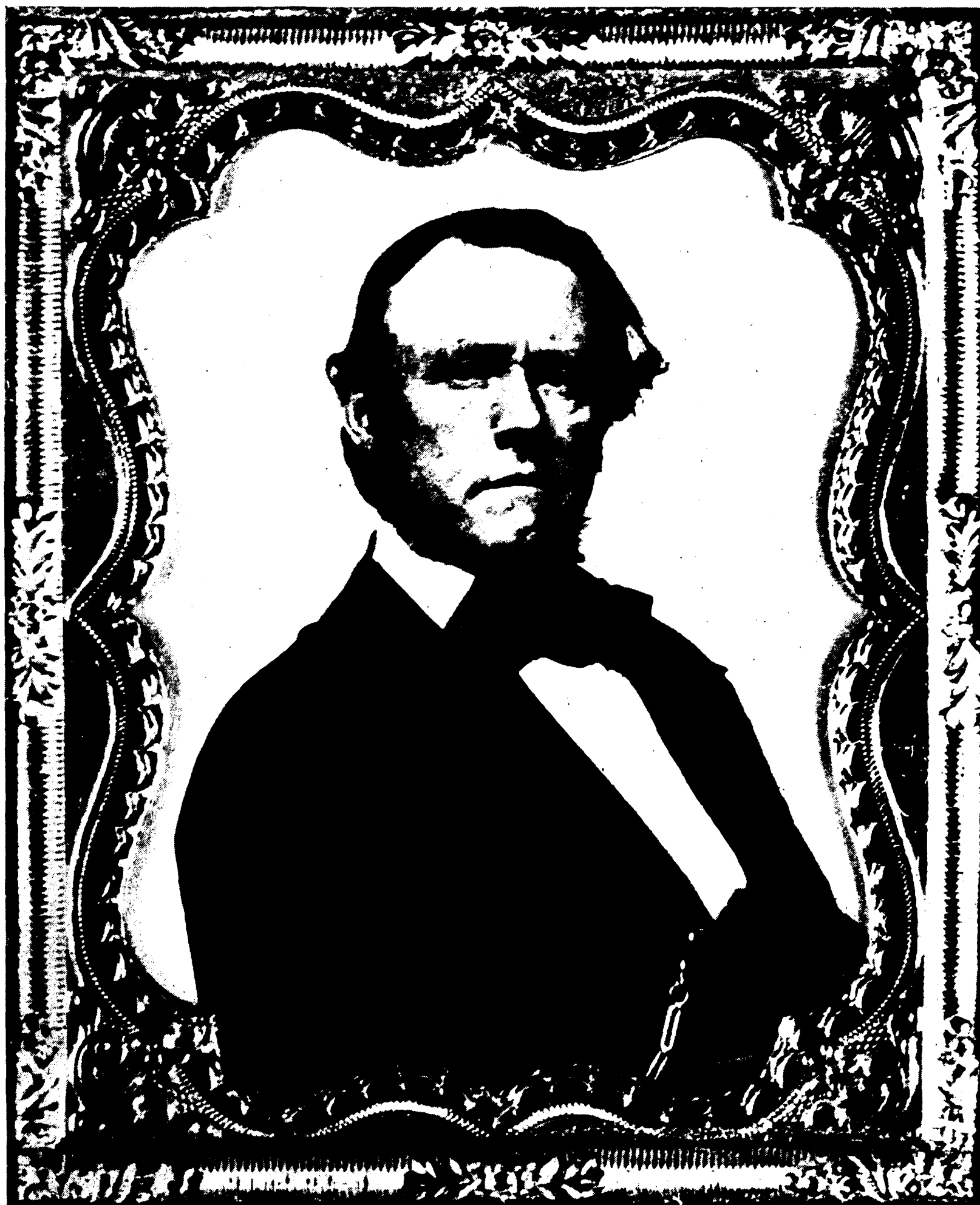
Children: 2 (Seelye) daughters, both born in Chatham, N. J.:—

- 217. i. Dorothea Chambers,⁷ b. June 8, 1917.
- 218. ii. Mary Averett,⁷ b. March 11, 1919.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Who's Who in America.*

139. BERTHA KING⁶ BARTLETT, b. Jan. 2, 1877; living 1921, in New York City; m. Feb. 5, 1903, in Grace Church, New York City, by the Rev. Dr. Huntington, to Harry Horton Benkard, b. Nov. 30, 187—?; living 1921, in New



JOHN JAMES, OF NELSON, N. Y.
1811-1895
From a daguerreotype

York City. He is a son of James J. and Fanny G. (Horton) Benkard of New York City.

Children: 2 (Benkard), 1 son and 1 daughter, both living in 1921:—

219. i. Franklin Bartlett,⁷ b. Nov. 16, 1903.

220. ii. Bertha,⁷ b. Nov. 1, 1906.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

145. HENRY COSTER⁶ STEERS, b. Aug. 31, 1890, in New York City; living 1923, in Portchester, N. Y.; m. Sept. 2, 1916, in Portchester, N. Y., to Lilian Adele Palmer, b. Jan. 26, 1897, in New York City; living 1923, in Portchester, N. Y. She is a daughter of George Quintard and Edna (Johnson) Palmer of New York City and Portchester, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Steers) daughters, both born in New York City; both living in 1921:—

221. i. Priscilla Adele,⁷ b. June 29, 1917.

222. ii. Phoebe Ann,⁷ b. March 23, 1919.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

COLLATERAL JAMES LINE

NUMBER I.

1. ROBERT² JAMES, 1765-1823 (son of William¹ and Susan (McCartney) James of Curkish, County Cavan, Ireland, and elder brother of William² James of Albany, 1771-1832, whose genealogical record and that of his descendants we have just heretofore recorded) lies buried in Bailieborough, County Cavan, Ireland, as does likewise his wife Jane (—?) James, 1768-1826.

Children of Robert² and Jane (—?) James:—

2. i. William,³ b. —? in Ireland; d. April 7, 1855, in Rochester, N. Y.; he did not marry. He and his brother John³ James (Robert,² William¹) landed in New York City, Sept. 18, 1816. William³ James (Robert,² William¹) was the senior partner of the firm of William and John James, merchants, of No. 18 South Street, New York City, from 1820 to 1845. He joined the New York Chamber of Commerce, July 2, 1833, and was a member of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick in 1835. In 1844, the partners of this firm sold their lease of No. 18 South Street and presumably removed to the western part of the State of New York at about that time.
- +3. ii. John,³ b. —, 1793; d. —? prior to Aug. 9, 1866; m. Margaret Creagh.
4. iii. Moses,³ of whom nothing further is known to the writer; he was not mentioned as an heir to his brother William³ James' estate, 1855.
5. iv. Aaron,³ b. —? in Ireland; d. Nov. 7, 1824, aged 29, in Albany (perhaps); buried in the State Street Cemetery, Albany, N. Y., in Presbyterian ground, before the removal of the bodies therefrom in 1866; he m. Jan. 28, 1818, by the Rev. Mr. Dewitt of Albany, N. Y., to Elmira Hoyt of Albany. (The writer of these notes is inclined to the belief that Elmira Hoyt, the wife of Aaron³ James was identical with Almira Hoyt, daughter of Gould Hoyt, Esq., of Norwalk and New Canaan, Conn., and of Hudson and Albany, N. Y., by his wife Sarah Reed, although this said Almira Hoyt is said to have died young and unmarried. (*Hoyt, Haight and Hight Families*, p. 503.) Her brother, Hon. Jesse Hoyt was of Albany, N. Y., and New York City.) Aaron³ James was

of Lansingburgh, Rensselaer County, N. Y., in 1817; he was a merchant in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1819; and in 1824, shortly before his death, he made a general assignment of all of his property to William² James (William¹) of Albany. On Nov. 13, 1824, letters of administration upon the estate of Aaron³ James, late of Albany, were granted to William² James (William¹) who was therein erroneously called his "father and next of kin." Nothing further is known of Elmira (Hoyt) James; nor is it known that there was any issue from this marriage of Aaron³ James and Elmira Hoyt.

6. v. Cartney,³ "who came to America and settled in some western state, married, and had only daughters" according to a family tradition in America. His wife's father was a Church of England minister in Bailieborough, Ireland, and her brother was a solicitor there. Cartney³ James in the citation issued to the heirs of William³ James, his brother, in 1855, is described as living near Toronto, Canada.
- +7. vi. Robert,³ M.D., b. —, 1797; d. —, 1841; m. Margaret Ann Jamieson.
8. vii. Thomas,³ 1800-1838; buried in Bailieborough, Ireland. He was a merchant in Bally-James-Duff, Co. Cavan, twelve miles distant from Bailieborough. In his will he mentions his wife Mary, daughters Eliza,⁴ Mary⁴ and Jane⁴ and his sons William⁴ and Thomas⁴; he also mentions his holding in Derrylurgan and Moodog. His widow after her husband's death, removed to America with her children. Nothing further is known of them to the writer.
9. viii. Jane,³ 1803-1827; buried in Bailieborough, Ireland. She did not marry.
- +10. ix. Henry,³ b. —, 1808; d. —, 1873; m. Jane Parr.
11. x. Mary,³ who married John Higginbotham and died in Cootehill, Co. Cavan. Her daughter, Miss Emily⁴ Higginbotham was living in Ireland in 1922, then aged 90 years.

3. JOHN³ JAMES, b. —, 1793, in Ireland; d. —? His will was proved Aug. 9, 1866, in Lockport, N. Y.; m. —? perhaps in New York City, to Margaret Creagh, b. —, 1806, in Ireland; d. Nov. 26, 1873, in Lockport, N. Y. She was a daughter of William Every and Fidelia Maria (Hawkins) Creagh of Ireland and America, and was also a sister of the Rev. Bartholomew Creagh of New York City and Williamsburg, Long Island, N. Y. John³ James was the junior member of the firm of "William and John James," merchants, 18 South Street, New York City, for many years. His home was at No. 10 Wooster Street, New York City and later in Brooklyn and from about 1845 in Lockport, N. Y. He and his brother William³ James landed in New York, Sept. 18, 1816, after a fifty-two days voyage from the old country.

Children: 5 (James), 4 sons and 1 daughter: —

- +12. i. Robert Henry,⁴ b. Aug. 27, 1827; d. Jan. 5, 1899; m. Catherine Louise Pitkin.
13. ii. William,⁴ b. and d. in New York City, in childhood.
14. iii. Anthony,⁴ b. and d. in New York City, in childhood.
15. iv. William,⁴ b. and d. in New York City, in childhood.
- +16. v. Fidelia Maria,⁴ b. Nov. 20, 1839; living 1921; m. Frederick Walker Pitkin.

AUTHORITIES:

Land records of New York County, N. Y.;—New York City Directories;—Family records;—*Pitkin Genealogy*;—Probate records of Niagara Co., N. Y.

7. ROBERT³ JAMES, M. D., b. —, 1797; d. —, 1841; buried in Bailieborough; he was "of Bailieborough" in 1833, when he sold a house at Drum, County Monaghan, nearby Bailieborough; he m. —, 1825, in Cootehill, County Cavan, to Margaret Ann Jamieson, who d. —, 1856, in Armagh, County Armagh, Ireland; and was buried in Bailieborough. She was a daughter of William Jamieson of Cootehill, County Cavan. Dr. John Hall, who was for a long period of years the pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York City, was an old friend of the American descendants of this branch of the James family, he having been in his youth the pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Armagh, which was attended then by Irish kinsmen. Children: 7 (James), 4 sons and 3 daughters:—

17. i. Anne,⁴ who m. Samuel McFadden.
18. ii. Robert,⁴ who married and had Robert⁵, William⁵ (living in 1922, in Belfast, Ireland); Thomas.⁵
19. iii. William,⁴ who d. in Belfast, Ireland, when about to be ordained as a Presbyterian minister.
20. iv. Mary.⁴
21. v. Jennie.⁴
22. vi. Henry,⁴ who d. at the age of 14 years.
- +23. vii. Thomas,⁴ b. July 11, 1842; living 1922; m. Margaret Ann Granlees.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

10. HENRY³ JAMES, b. —, 1808; d. —, 1873; m. Jane Parr, b. —, 1821; d. —, 1881; they are both buried in Bailieborough, Ireland.

Children: 5 (James), 3 sons and 2 daughters:—

24. i. Kate.⁴
25. ii. Robert,⁴ b. —, 1840; living in 1921, in Bailieborough; his wife Marie E. James was living in 1921. Their children are Helen⁵ James and Henry⁵ James, M. D., b. —, 1886 (Dublin University) who was living in 1921, in Yorkshire, Eng.; he is married and has had two children, viz:—Margaret⁶ and Robert Henry⁶ James.
26. iii. Henry.⁴
27. iv. Charles.⁴
28. v. Jane.⁴

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

12. ROBERT HENRY⁴ JAMES, b. Aug. 27, 1827, in New York City; d. Jan. 5, 1899, in Lockport, N. Y.; m. Dec. 16, 1862, to Catherine Louise Pitkin, b. May 15, 1837; d. March 1, 1918. She was a daughter of Timothy and Catherine Louise (Woodbridge) Pitkin of Ellington, Conn.

Children: 2 (James), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- +29. i. Anna Louise,⁵ b. Oct. 16, 1866; living in 1921; m. (1) Frederick Arthur Jewett; m. (2) Risley Tucker.
- +30. ii. Frederick Pitkin,⁵ b. March 25, 1872; living 1921; m. Linda Peckham.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Woodbridge Record*, p. 144;—*Pitkin Genealogy*.

16. FIDELIA MARIA⁴ JAMES, b. Nov. 20, 1839, in New York City, living in 1921, in Escondido, Cal.; m. June 17, 1862, in Lockport, N. Y., to Gov. Frederick Walker Pitkin, b. Aug. 31, 1837, in Manchester, Conn.; d. Dec. 18, 1886, in Pueblo, Colo. He was a son of Eli and Hannah M. (Torrey) Pitkin. Frederick Walker Pitkin graduated from Wesleyan University in 1858 and from the Albany Law School in 1859; after marriage he and his wife lived

in Milwaukee and Denver. The county of Pitkin and the town of the same name, both in Colorado, were named after Frederick Walker Pitkin, who practiced law in that state and was its Governor, 1879-81. The writer is indebted to Mrs. Fidelia Maria⁴ (James) Pitkin for much help in the preparation of these notes; and it is largely due to her recollection of names and places in Ireland and America that the ancestral home of this branch of the James family was definitely determined to be in Curkish, County Cavan, Ireland. Mrs. Pitkin's cousin, Robert James, Justice of the Peace, of Bailieborough, supplied the compiler with the corroborative evidence.

Children: 4 (Pitkin), 3 sons and 1 daughter:—

- +31. i. Robert James,⁵ b. May 30, 1864; living 1921; m. Amy Moore.
- 32. ii. Frederick William,⁵ b. Nov. 12, 1869, in Milwaukee, Wis.; d. there Dec. 28, 1871.
- 33. iii. Samuel John,⁵ b. March 28, 1871, in Milwaukee, Wis., d. there May 16, 1871.
- +34. iv. Florence Terry,⁵ b. Oct. 19, 1872; living 1921; m. Earl Montgomery Cranston.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Pitkin Genealogy*;—*Alumni Record Wesleyan University*, p. 162.

23. THOMAS⁴ JAMES, b. (posthumous) July 11, 1842, in Cootehill, County Cavan, Ireland; living 1922, in Wilmington, Del.; m. Dec. 13, 1871, in Philadelphia, Pa., to Margaret Ann Granlees, b. Nov. 5, 1850, in Philadelphia, Pa.; d. Feb. 15, 1920, in Philadelphia, Pa. She was a daughter of Robert and Annie (Briggs) Granlees of Philadelphia. Thomas⁴ James came to America about 1865 and thereafter lived in New York City, Philadelphia, Pa., and Wilmington, Del.

Children: 5 (James), 3 sons and 2 daughters, all born in Philadelphia, Pa.:—

- 35. i. Robert Granlees,⁵ b. June 15, 1873; d. April 21, 1874, in Philadelphia, Pa.
- +36. ii. Arthur,⁵ b. Dec. 14, 1875; living 1922; m. Annette Troth Kenderdine.
- 37. iii. Ethel,⁵ b. Dec. 4, 1878; d. Jan. 24, 1879, in Philadelphia, Pa.
- 38. iv. Reginald,⁵ b. May 16, 1880; d. Dec. 18, 1880, in Philadelphia, Pa.
- 39. v. Annie Granlees,⁵ b. March 21, 1885; d. May 12, 1886, in Philadelphia, Pa.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

29. ANNA LOUISE⁵ JAMES, b. Oct. 16, 1866, in —? living 1921, in Buffalo, N. Y.; m. (1) June 30, 1891, to Frederick Arthur Jewett, b. Nov. 10, 1859; d. —? (before 1916). He was a son of John Cotton and Priscilla (Boardman) Jewett of Buffalo, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Jewett), 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- 40. i. Robert James,⁶ b. June 22, 1893, in Buffalo, N. Y.; living 1922, in Buffalo, N. Y. He served in the World War.
- +41. ii. Katharine,⁶ b. Nov. 30, 1894; living 1922, in Buffalo, N. Y.; m. William Edwin Lyle.

Anna Louise⁵ (James) Jewett m. (2) Jan. 15, 1916, to Risley Tucker who was living in 1922. He is a son of Chauncey and Florella (Risley) Tucker of Buffalo, N. Y.

Children: (Tucker) none.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

30. FREDERICK PITKIN⁵ JAMES, b. March 25, 1872, in Lockport, N. Y.; living 1921, in Lockport, N. Y., Yale College, 1895; Buffalo University, 1898; Cornell Law School; m. Jan. 6, 1906, in Utica, N. Y., to Linda Peckham, b.



CHARLOTTE A. JAMES (BIRGE), DAUGHTER OF JOHN JAMES OF MANLIUS
1809-1864

Sept. 7, 1879; living 1921, in Lockport, N. Y. She is a daughter of Frederick R. and Mary Ella (Comstock) Peckham, of Utica, N. Y.

Child: 1 (James) son:—

42. i. Robert Henry,⁶ b. June 20, 1907, in New York City; living 1921.

AUTHORITIES:

Family Records;—*Pitkin Genealogy*.

31. ROBERT JAMES⁵ PITKIN, b. May 30, 1864, in Milwaukee, Wis.; living 1921, in Denver, Colo.; m. June 20, 1895, in Cincinnati, Ohio, to Amy Moore, b. Dec. 3, 1874, in Cincinnati, Ohio; living 1921, in Denver, Colo. She is a daughter of Bishop David Hastings and Julia Sophia (Carpenter) Moore of Cincinnati. Bishop Moore is of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Robert James⁵ Pitkin is of Yale, 1885 and Yale Law School, 1888; he has practiced law in Denver for many years.

Children: 4 (Pitkin) daughters:—

- +43. i. Amy,⁶ b. July 20, 1897; living 1921; m. Robert Lawrence Stearns.

- +44. ii. Julia,⁶ b. May 11, 1899; living 1921; m. Woodford Absolom Matlock.

45. iii. Margaret Fidelia,⁶ b. April 21, 1904, in Denver, Colo.; d. there June 3, 1904.

46. iv. Marion,⁶ b. Sept. 2, 1906, in Denver, Colo.; living 1921.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Pitkin Genealogy*, by A. P. Pitkin.

34. FLORENCE TERRY⁵ PITKIN, b. Oct. 19, 1872, in Milwaukee, Wis.; living 1921, in Escondido, Cal.; m. April 16, 1891, in Denver, Colo., to Earl Montgomery Cranston, b. Dec. 3, 1863, in Middleport, Ohio; living 1921, in Escondido, Cal.; he is of the University of Denver, 1885 and the Cincinnati, Ohio, Law School. He is a son of Bishop Earl Cranston of the Methodist Episcopal Church by his wife Martha Behan who lived successively in Ohio, Colorado, Washington, D. C., and Michigan.

Children: 5 (Cranston), 4 sons and 1 daughter:—

- +47. i. Frederick Pitkin,⁶ b. March 12, 1893; living 1921; m. Alta Kinney.

48. ii. Rev. Earl,⁶ b. Jan. 30, 1895, in Denver, Colo.; Dartmouth College, 1916; Drew Theological Seminary, 1920. He served as an ambulance driver in Italy in the World War and as a Y. M. C. A. Secretary. He was ordained a Methodist minister in 1920 by his paternal grandfather and six other bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church; and in 1921 was stationed in the Methodist Mission in Taianfu, Shantung, China.

- +49. iii. Florence Fidelia,⁶ b. Oct. 31, 1897; living 1921; m. Gustave George Wilkins.

50. iv. Robert Montgomery,⁶ b. June 25, 1908, in Denver, Colo.; d. there July 2, 1908.

51. v. John Montgomery,⁶ b. Oct. 5, 1909, in Denver, Colo.; living 1921.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

36. ARTHUR⁵ JAMES, b. Dec. 14, 1875, in Philadelphia, Pa.; living 1922, in Wilmington, Del.; m. April 2, 1903, in Philadelphia, Pa., to Annette Troth Kenderdine, b. Sept. 17, 1879, in Philadelphia, Pa.; living 1922. She is a daughter of Frank and Mary Hustler (Churchman) Kenderdine of Wilmington, Del.

Children: 2 (James), 1 son and 1 daughter, both living in 1922:—

52. i. Thomas Edwin,⁶ b. April 18, 1905, in Philadelphia, Pa.

53. ii. Mary Kenderdine,⁶ b. Feb. 20, 1907, in Philadelphia, Pa.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

41. KATHARINE⁶ JEWETT, b. Nov. 30, 1894, in Buffalo, N. Y.; living 1922, in Buffalo, N. Y.; m. June 24, 1915, in Buffalo, N. Y., to William Edwin Lyle, b. Nov. 14, 1883, in Danville, Boyle Co., Ky.; living 1922, in Buffalo, N. Y. He is a son of William Joel and Sarah Ellen Lyle of Danville, Ky.

Children: 3 (Lyle), 2 sons and 1 daughter, both living in 1922:—

- 54. i. Louise,⁷ b. Aug. 6, 1916, in Buffalo, N. Y.
- 55. ii. William Edwin,⁷ b. April 2, 1919, in Buffalo, N. Y.
- 56. iii. Robert Jewett,⁷ b. April 5, 1921, in Buffalo, N. Y.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

43. AMY⁶ PITKIN, b. July 20, 1897, in Denver, Colo.; living 1921, in Denver, Colo.; University of Colorado, A. B., 1919; m. Aug. 6, 1920, in Denver, Colo., to Robert Lawrence Stearns, b. Oct. 3, 1892, in Halifax, Nova Scotia; living 1921, in Denver, Colo.; University of Colorado, A. B., 1914; Columbia Law School, 1916. He is a son of John Lloyd and Ella (Powell) Stearns of Denver, Colo.

Child: 1 (Stearns):—

- 57. i. Marion Lloyd,⁷ b. June 8, 1921, in Denver, Colo.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

44. JULIA⁶ PITKIN, b. May 11, 1899, in Denver, Colo.; living 1921, in Denver, Colo.; m. Feb. 16, 1921, in Denver, Colo., to Woodford Absolom Matlock, b. Nov. 25, 1898, in Denver, Colo.; living 1921, in Denver, Colo.; Princeton College. He is a son of Woodford Absolom and Jessica (Shadbury) Matlock of Denver, Colo.

Child: 1 (Matlock), son, b. in Denver, Colo., and living in 1921:—

- 58. i. Woodford Absolom,⁷ b. Dec. 6, 1921.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

47. FREDERICK PITKIN⁶ CRANSTON, b. March 12, 1893, in Denver, Colo.; living 1921, in Denver, Colo.; m. June 29, 1920, in Denver, Colo., to Alta Kinney, b. Feb. 17, 1896 in Fort Collins, Colo. (perhaps); living 1921, in Denver, Colo. She is a daughter of Charles N. and Minerva (Crumley) Kinney of Fort Collins and Denver, Colo. Frederick Pitkin⁶ Cranston graduated at Dartmouth in 1914; he served with the A. E. F. in France. He is a lawyer.

Children: (Cranston) none up to 1921.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

49. FLORENCE FIDELIA⁶ CRANSTON, b. Oct. 31, 1897, in Denver, Colo.; University of Denver, 1919; living 1921, in Escondido, Cal.; m. April 16, 1920, in Denver, Colo., to Gustave George Wilkins, b. April 9, 1894, in San Francisco, Cal.; living 1921. He is a son of Dietrich Carl and Mary (Platen) Wilkins of San Francisco, Cal. Gustave George Wilkins was educated in San Francisco, and in Germany; he was a Sergeant Major in the World War.

Child: 1 (Wilkins) son:—

- 59. i. George Cranston,⁷ b. Feb. 9, 1921, in Hartford, Conn.

AUTHORITY:

Family records.

COLLATERAL JAMES LINE.

NUMBER 2.

1. CAPT. JOHN² JAMES, son of William¹ James of Curkish, County Cavan, Ireland by his wife Susan McCartney, and the younger brother to whom (to-



ROBERT HENRY JAMES, AGE 21 YEARS
1827-1899
From a daguerreotype

gether with his niece Charlotte³ James (John,² William¹) and his nephew John³ James (John,² William¹) William² James (William¹) of Albany referred in his will,—was born March 2, 1785 (in Dublin, Ireland, according to a record in possession of his descendants residing in Nelson, N. Y.); d. Oct. 13, 1813, aged 28, in Manlius, Onondaga Co., N. Y.; buried in Manlius Cemetery in the plot of his wife's brother-in-law, Ralph Rodolphus Phelps, together with an "infant daughter of Capt. John James;" m. Oct. 6, 1806, to Lydia Sloan, b. June 8, 1786, in Wilmington, Mass.; baptized July 14, 1811, at the age of 25 years (Records of Christ Episcopal Church, Manlius, N. Y.); d. May 8, 1858, in Utica, N. Y. Capt. John² James was of Syracuse and Manlius, N. Y., in which latter place he was a merchant in partnership with Robert Cummings. The date of his arrival in America is not known to the writer. In 1809 he is recorded as a First Lieutenant of a company of Horse of Onondaga County, N. Y. He was Captain of the 3rd Squadron of Calvary in 1810. In Governor Tompkins' *Military Papers*, III, 246, is set forth a letter written to Hon. John Armstrong, Feb. 6, 1813 from which we quote: "Mr. John James who is now captain of a troop of calvary at Manlius, is solicitous of obtaining the appointment of Captain of Dragoons in the service of the United States—Mr. James is a brother of the merchant of that name in this place and is a man of respectable character and standing," etc. Capt. James was a vestryman of Christ Church, Manlius, but he died soon after his election to that office. Silhouette portraits of John² and Lydia (Sloan) James are in the possession of their descendants, as is also a painting of Lydia (Sloan) James.

Children: 3 (James), 1 son and 2 daughters:—

2. i. a daughter,³ who d. March 17, 1808, and was buried in Manlius, N. Y.
- +3. ii. John,³ b. March 23, 1811; d. Nov. 4, 1895; m. Almyra Truesdell.
4. iii. Charlotte A.,³ b. May 25, 1809, in Manlius, N. Y.; baptized July 14, 1811 (Records of Christ Church, Manlius, N. Y.); d. July 31, 1864, in St. Louis, Mo.; m. July 7, 1832, in Cazenovia, N. Y., to Dr. John Ward Birge of Cazenovia, N. Y. They lived in Utica, N. Y., New Orleans, La., and St. Louis, Mo. No issue.

Lydia (Sloan) James, widow of Capt. John² James, m. (2) Oct. 22, 1822 (Records of Christ Church, Manlius, N. Y.) to Jeremiah Whipple of Nelson, N. Y., who d. Sept. 22, 1840, aged 74 years, in Nelson, N. Y., and was buried in Cazenovia, N. Y.

Children: (Whipple) none.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—Church and cemetery records;—*Military Papers of Gov. Tompkins*, II, 157;—*Council of Appointment*, 1030, 1128.

3. JOHN³ JAMES, b. March 23, 1811, in Manlius, N. Y.; baptized July 14, 1811 (Records of Christ Church, Manlius, N. Y.); d. Nov. 4, 1895, in Nelson, N. Y.; buried in the Rural Cemetery, Nelson, N. Y.; m. Oct. 22, 1833, in Nelson, N. Y., to Almyra Truesdell of Nelson, N. Y., b. June 26, 1814, in Nelson, N. Y.; d. Feb. 2, 1889, in Nelson, N. Y. She was a daughter of David and Bathia Paddock (Hyatt) Truesdell of Nelson, N. Y. John³ James studied medicine, but became a merchant, living at various times in Manlius, Cazenovia, Cincinnatus and Nelson, N. Y.

Child: 1 (James) son:—

5. i. William Henry,⁴ b. Dec. 14, 1840, in Cincinnatus, N. Y.; d. Sept. 30, 1916, in Nelson, N. Y.; m. Sept. 2, 1877, in North Norwich, Chenango Co., N. Y., to Sarah Charlotte Eliza Jaynes, b. Aug. 24, 1849, in Plymouth, N. Y.; living 1921, in Nelson, N. Y. She is a daughter of Delos and Eliza Jane (Bryan) Jaynes of North

Norwich, N. Y. Mrs. William Henry⁴ James furnished the writer with most of the here above recorded information relative to Capt. John² James and his descendants.

Children: 2 (James), 1 son and 1 daughter, both living in 1921 in Nelson, N. Y.:—

1. Jessie Lulu,⁵ b. Sept. 4, 1881, in Nelson, N. Y.
2. John Bryan,⁵ b. Jan. 1, 1883, in Nelson, N. Y.

AUTHORITIES:

Family records;—*Crosby Genealogy*, in the *N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record*, 1901, pp. 162, 225.

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