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butcher's, when the animals became frightened. One of them knocked him down and another trampled him severely, inflicting internal injuries which resulted in his death. He was buried at Delta. Mr. Smith was'a commissioner to the General Assembly at Cincinnati in 1867, at Brooklyn in 1876, and at Saratoga Springs in 1884. He was unmarried.

#### JAMES ADDISON HENRY, D.D., LL.D.,

Son of the Rev. Dr. Symmes Cleves and Catharine (Rowley) Henry, was born Oct. 28, 1835, in Cranbury, N. J. He made a public confession of his faith in the First Presbyterian Church of Cranbury at the age of nineteen. He pursued his preparatory studies under a private tutor in Cranbury, and in Woodbridge Hall at Perth Amboy, N. J., and still later in the Edge Hill School in Princeton. He graduated from Princeton College in 1857. Entering the Seminary at Princton in the fall of the same year, he took the full three years' course there, graduating in 1860. He was licensed by the Presbytery of New Brunswick April 28, 1859, and ordained by the Presbytery of Philadelphia, June 5, 1860, being at the same time installed pastor of the Princeton Church in Philadelphia. This was his only pastorate, the relation being dissolved after the long period of forty-six years by his death, which occurred Aug. 8, 1906, at Asbury Park, N. J., of pneumonia, in the 71st year of his age. He was buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. He received the degree of D.D. from Centre College, Ky., and Washington and Jefferson College, Pa., in 1877: the degree of LL.D. from Washington and Jefferson College in 1905, and the degree of S.T.D. from the University of Pennsylvania in 1906, shortly before his death. Dr. Henry was a trustee of Princeton University from 1883 until his death. He was a commissioner to the General Assembly at St. Louis in 1866; at Cleveland, 1875; at Saratoga Springs, 1870; at Omaha, 1887; at Saratoga Springs, 1894; at Buffalo, 1904, and at Winona Lake, 1905. He was moder-

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ator of the General Assembly in 1904. He was one of the trustees of the General Assembly. He was also a commissioner from the General Assembly to the Synod of the United Presbyterian Church of England and Scotland in 1873. He was a commissioner, appointed by the city of Philadelphia, to the World's Fair held in Vienna in the same year. He was president of the Alumni Association of Princeton Theological Seminary in 1893. At one time he was president of the Industrial Home for Blind Women in Philadelphia. He was also a trustee and one of the corporators of the Presbyterian Hospital in Philadelphia. Dr. Henry made fifteen voyages to Europe, devoting many of his summer vacations to travel across the sea.

He was married July 25, 1861, in Philadelphia, Pa., to Mary Service Steen, who died Feb. 11, 1892. One daughter survives him.

### WILLIAM ALEXANDER, D.D., LL.D.,

Son of Randall and Sarah Henderson (Carothers) Alexander, was born Dec. 13, 1831, near Shirleysburg, Pa. He made a public confession of his faith in the Presbyterian church at Shirleysburg at the age of eighteen. His preparatory studies were pursued at Academia, Pa., under David Wilson, and at the Juniata Academy, Pa., under H. J. Campbell, and he graduated from Jefferson College in 1858. Entering the Seminary at Princeton in the fall of the same year, he took the full three years' course there, graduating in 1861. During the next five months he supplied the church at Spruce Creek, Pa. He was licensed by the Presbytery of Huntingdon, April 10, 1860, and ordained by the Presbytery of Northumberland, June 10, 1862, being at the same time installed pastor of the church at Lycoming, Pa. He was released from this charge Aug. 29, 1863. During the next two years he supplied the church at Waukesha, Wis., and was at the same time president of Carroll College, Wis. He was pastor of the church at Beloit, Wis., from June 21, 1865, to Nov. 9, 1869, and then of the church at San José,